Nebraskan

Babe

Seince you don't wont
anyone writing on these pages
and since you wrote on mine, I will
write on yours. I will miss seeing you
in school next year. you had better be good
because I will (no no.)

Decke Lee

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FOREWORD

Well, Vikings, here's the new 1950 Tattler. The staff is proud to present this thirty-eighth edition of our high school annual. We wish to acknowledge the timely aid given the staff by the numerous cooperative students and teachers. We would like to extend our thanks to Mr. Lehman, Don Morgan, and Phil Parker for their fine photography. Also the merchants as well as the administration have contributed much to make this Tattler possible.

We have used the "South Pacific" theme that our artists, Bill Fenton and Ronnie Wain have so cleverly illustrated. We hope you will like the book now and in the years to come.

THE TATTLER

1950

HOMER HATCHER

SENIOR HIGH DEDICATION

The 1950 Tattler is proudly dedicated by the students of Niles High School to Mr. Homer Hatcher.

Mr. Hatcher has been a member of the faculty since the fall of 1946. He is a graduate of Nebraska State Teacher's College, and since then has done some advance work at the University of Wisconsin. Mr. Hatcher teaches mechanical drawing and coaches the successful cross country and track teams, which have set an enviable record in the Big Seven Conference. He is an example for the high standards he sets for his winning teams.

Mr. Hatcher's ready smile and pleasing personality will always be remembered by those who have come in contact with him.

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The Board of Education of the Niles Public Schools has recognized the educational needs of this community and is continually striving to meet these needs through their long-range building program.

On November 1, 1949, the people of Niles voted to finance this building program. As a result of their decision, Niles will have, in the near future, modern and efficient educational facilities for the elementary grades. Besides providing for the construction of new school buildings, the long-range program also includes improvements to present structures.

It is to the initiative of the members of the Board of Education that members of the Niles Community must give credit, for they have been and are stimulating interest in the development and training of the leaders of tomorrow.

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John Leeman

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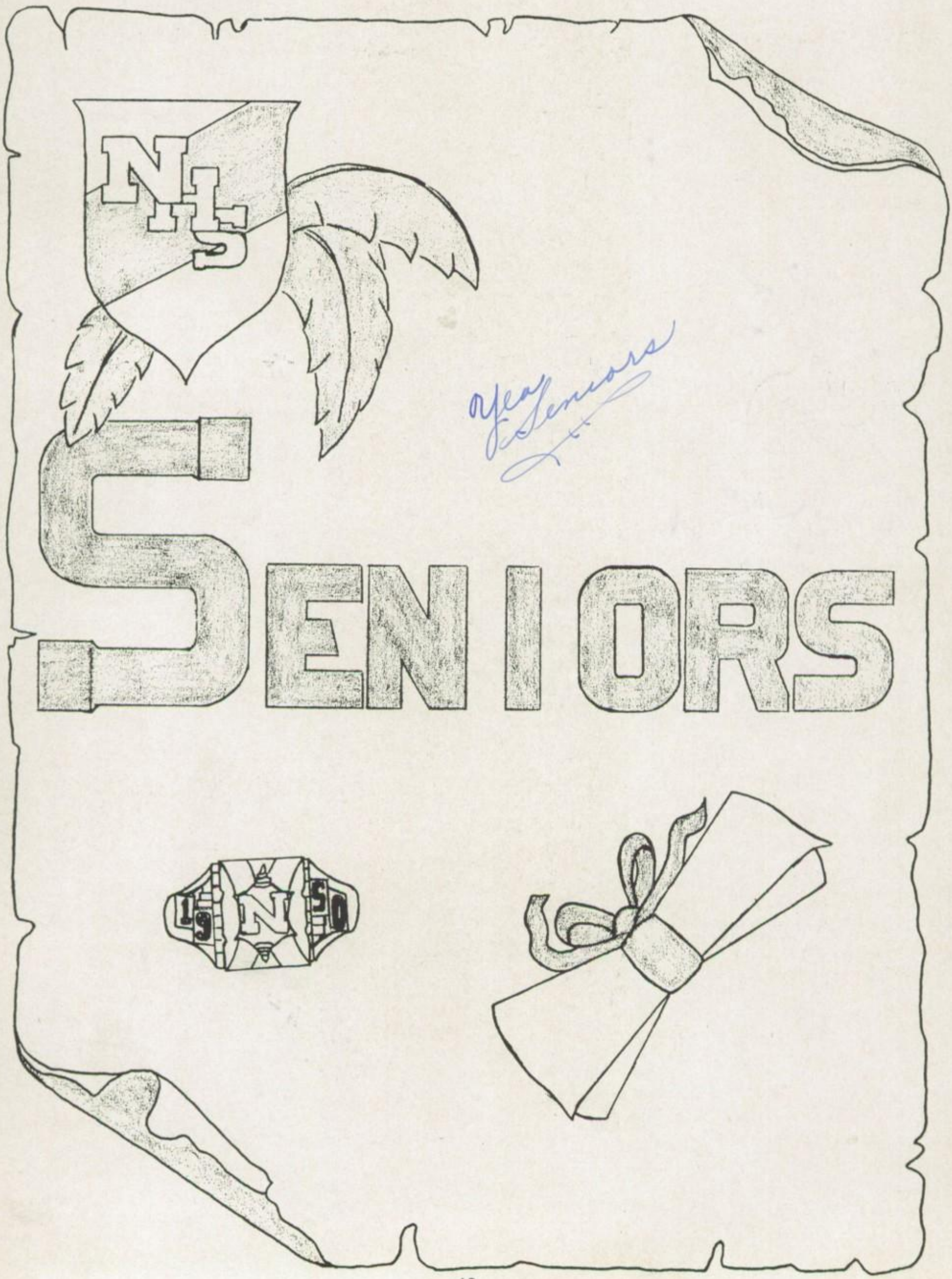
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SENIOR LEADERS

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WILLIAM SHANNON: Vice-President of Senior Class.

MARIE SEIFERT: Senior Class Secretary.

EDWARD FOSTER: Senior Class Treasurer.

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LILA SCHRADER: Representative of Miss Hoyt's Advisory and Vice President of Student Council.

DONNA FAY: Alternate of Mr. Walker's Advisory and Secretary of Student Council.

MILDRED HICKERSON: Representative of Mr. Flora's Advisory.

NANCY NELLIS: Representative of Mrs. Joseph's Advisory.

RICHARD GALBREATH: Representative of Mr. Severe's Advisory.

ANNE SIMPSON: Representative of Mr. Matthew's Advisory.

SENIORS

MARGARET ALBRIGHT: "Speak Low"; Student Council, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Gym Show, 2.

JOHN E. AMES: "So Tired"; Gym Show, 1; Track, 1; Senior Play Cast; Honor Roll, one semester.

WILLIAM BAUERNFEIND: "Take Me Out To The Ball Game"; Hi-Y, 2; Gym Show, 3; Baseball, 3; New Moon Staff, 2; Basketball, 1; Bleacher Squad, 1.

BURTON BEDINGER: "Temptation"; Gym Show, 3; Football, 1; Track, 1; Game Assistant, 1; Bleacher Squad, 1; Hi-Y, 2; Student Council, 1; New Moon Staff, 1.

ELWOOD J. BERKOMPAS: "Woody, The Woodpecker"; Glee Club, 2; Track Manager, 2; Choir, 2; Gym Show, 3; Projector Operator, 1; Variety Show, 2; Honor Roll four semester.

DAVID LEE BERQUIST: "Hurdle Boy"; Track, 3; Glee Club, 2; Choir, 2; Octet, 1; Band Bounce, 1; Variety Show, 2; Gym Show, 3; N-Club, 2.

ROLAND A. BOERSEMA: "Mountain Melody"; Glee Club, 3; Projector Operator, 3; Variety Show, 3; Gym Show, 3.

NORMA JEAN BOYER: "Midget Toes"; Gym Show, 1.

JOY BRAND: "You Are So Nice To Know"; Spanish Club, 2; Gym Show, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; One Act Play Comm.

BEVERLY BROWN: "She's Got A Pocketful of Dreams"; Gym Show, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 2; Spanish Club, 2.

CONNIE MAY BROWN: "You Are Too Beautiful"; Glee Club, 1; Choir, 2; Gym Show, 3; Orchestra, 3; Student Council, 3; Band Bounce, 3; Variety Show, 3; New Moon Staff, 1; Usher's Club, 3; Game Assistant, 3.

JULIA EVELYN BROWN: "O You Beautiful Doll"; FTA, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Gym Show, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; New Moon Staff, 1; Transferred from Cleveland, Ohio, 1947.

RICHARD BROWN: "Waneta"; Gym Show, 1; Football Manager, 2; Tennis, 2; Game Assistant, 1; Baseball, 1; Bleacher Squad, 1; N-Club, 1.

OMAR J. BRUBAKER: "California Here I Come"; Basketball Manager, 1; Hi-Y, 1; Glee Club, 1; Senior Play Cast; Transferred from Chaffey Union High School, Ontario, California, 1948.

SENIORS

EUGENE BURDUE: "Silence Is Golden."

JOYCE ORLETTA BURDUE: "There's A Man In My Life"; Gym Show, 2; GAA, 1.

JAMES BURNHAM: "Skater's Waltz"; Football, 2; Basketball, 1; Track, 3; Glee Club, 2; Choir, 1; FFA, 1; Gym Show, 3; Projector Operator, 1; Hi-Y, 1; N-Club, 2; Variety Show, 2; Bleacher Squad, 1; Thespians, 1.

Lots of Luck
Jimmie

ED BUTT: "Rough and Rugged"; Gym Show, 1; Football, 2; Baseball, 2; Transferred from Chicago, 1948.

NORMA J. CARPENTER: "Small Fry"; Gym Show, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 2; GAA, 2; Co-op, 1; Honor Roll, one semester.

BOB CASHBAUGH: "I Never See Mary Alone"; Football, 1; Cross Country, 2; Track, 3; Student Council, 1; Gym Show, 3; Game Assistant, 2; Hi-Y, 1; New Moon Staff, 1; Tattler Staff, 1; Spanish Club, 2; Junior Class Treasurer; Junior Play Comm.; One Act Play Comm.

ALOETH CHURCHILL: "Moon Over Miami"; Gym Show, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; One Act Play Comm.; Spanish Club, 1; Honor Roll, three semesters.

DON CLUBINE: "You'll Never Know"; Football, 2; Basketball, 1; Baseball, 2; Glee Club, 2; Variety Show, 2; Gym Show, 2.

RALPH COCHRANE: "Shutterbug"; Glee Club, 1; Choir, 2; Track, 1; Gym Show, 1; Co-op, 1.

MARY SHARON COOK: "A Sweet Cookie"; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 3; GAA, 1; Senior Play Comm.; Honor Roll, one semester.

Joseph Crocker
"Ace"

CLIFFORD G. CROCKER: "Oh, How I Hate To Get Up In The Morning"; N-Club, 1; Basketball, 3; Baseball, 2; Game Assistant, 1; Football, 1.

Lots of Luck
Cliff Crocker

JOSEPH C. CROCKER: "Take It Easy"; Basketball, 3; N-Club, 1; FFA, 1; Game Assistant, 1; Bleacher Squad, 1; Gym Show, 3; Baseball, 1.

ERWIN CROSS: "Don't Fence Me In"; Tennis, 3; FFA, 1; N-Club, 1; Gym Show, 4; Game Assistant, 1; Transferred from Haskell, Texas, 1948.

SHIRLEY JEAN CROUCH: "As Time Goes By"; Gym Show, 3.

SENIORS

JOAN CUMMINGS: "Steady As A Clock"; Gym Show, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 1.

PATRICIA ANN CUMMINS: "She's In Love With Someone"; Gym Show, 3; Girls' Officials, 1; Senior Play Comm.

HOWARD DAVIS: "Young Man With A Horn"; Golf, 1; Band, 4; Orchestra, 2; Band Bounce, 3; Student Council, 1; Variety Show, 2.

PHYLLIS L. DAVIS: "The Athletic Type"; Band, 1; Gym Show, 2; Band Bounce, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 1.

DELORES ELAINE DEUTSCHER: "Sweet and Quiet"; GAA, 2; Gym Show, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Co-op, 1; Honor Roll, two semesters.

BONNIE JEAN DICKERSON: "The Man I Love"; FHA, 1; Gym Show, 1; Co-op, 1; Honor Roll, six semesters.

JOHN F. DICKEY: "A Farmer's Life Is A Very Merry Life"; Gym Show, 3; FFA, 2; N-Club, 2; Basketball, 1; Football, 2.

MARIANNE DIXON: "Where's Louie"; Gym Show, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Junior Play Comm.

ANNA LOUISE DODD: "A Silent Lass"; FHA, 1; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 1.

LORETTA D'ONOFRIO: "Those Big Brown Eyes"; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 1.

GRACE E. EASTON: "Scatterbrain"; GAA, 2; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 3; New Moon Staff, 1; Co-op, 1; One Act Play Comm.; Junior Play Comm.

HAROLD EISLIE: "Dark Curly Hair"; Gym Show, 2; Projector Operator, 1.

CARROLL L. ELLEDGE: "A Year Is A Long Time"; Football, 1; Co-op, 1; Gym Show, 1; Game Assistant, 1; Hi-Y, 1; Bleacher Squad, 1; Projector Operator, 1.

GERRY E. EMMONS: "Bell Bottom Trousers"; GAA, 1; Gym Show, 3; Co-op, 1; Pep Comm., 2; Cheerleader, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 2; Tattler Staff, 1; Honor Roll, seven semesters.

SENIORS

DONNA JEAN FAY: "Can't Help Loving That Man"; Glee Club, 1; Choir, 1; GAA, 2; Student Council, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Secretary of Student Council; Variety Show, 1; Homecoming Queen's Court.

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Jack Fein

VIRGINIA FISHER: "Blue Skies"; GAA, 1; Gym Show, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 2.

EDWARD FOSTER: "Our Hero"; Tennis, 3; Football, 3; Basketball, 3; Gym Show, 3; Senior Class Treasurer; Hi-Y, 1; Student Council, 2; Game Assistant, 1; Bleacher Squad, 1; N-Club, 3.

VIOLET MAE FRANTZ: "I Love You Truly"; Gym Show, 1.

ANDREA JEANNE FRENCH: "Paper Doll"; GAA, 4; FTA, 1; Student Council, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Gym Show, 4; Usher's Club, 2; Game Assistant, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 2; Tattler Staff, 1; One Act Play Comm.

ROBERT LEE FULLER: "Never Trust A Woman"; Baseball, 3; Football, 2; Game Assistant, 1; Senior Play Comm.; Honor Roll, four semesters.

MARTHA H. FUNK: "Until"; GAA, 2; FTA, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Senior Play Comm.; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 3; Spanish Club, 2; One Act Play Comm.

MARY ANN GAIDESKI: "So In Love"; GAA, 1; Gym Show, 2.

RICHARD GALBREATH: "The Voice"; Gym Show, 2; Football, 1; Basketball, 3; Tennis, 2; Glee Club, 2; Choir, 2; Student Council, 2; Junior Play Cast; Variety Show, 2; Hy-Y, 1.

MARTHA JANE GERSONDE: "My Heart Tells Me"; GAA, 1; Gym Show, 3; Co-op, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 1.

DAVID GIBSON: "My Little Blondie"; Cross Country, 1; Glee Club, 1; Game Assistant, 2; Gym Show, 3; Variety Show 1.

JAMES GILLESPIE: "Wine, Women, and Song"; Choir, 1; Glee Club, 1; Golf, 1; Variety Show, 1; Gym Show, 1; Game Assistant, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Tennis, 1; Co-op, 1.

SENIORS

DORIS GLEASON: GAA, 1; Junior Play Prompter; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Girls' Officials, 1; Senior Play Comm.

DOROTHY GRAHAM: "Ring On Her Finger"; Cheerleader, 2; Pep Comm., 1; Student Council, 1; Gym Show, 3.

JANICE GRAY: "Ain't Misbehavin' "; Thespians, 2; GAA, 1; Student Council, 2; Junior Play Cast; Gym Show, 3; Usher's Club, 3; One Act Play Comm., 1; Game Assistant, 3; Little Women, 3; Honor Roll, one semester.

CAROL (Sally) GREEN: "Because I Love You"; Glee Club, 3; Choir, 2; Sextet, 1; GAA, 1; Variety Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Tumbling Club, 1; Gym Show, 2.

JAMES A. HALL: "O You Wonderful Man"; Football, 3; Basketball, 3; Baseball, 3; N-Club, 3; Gym Show, 1; Hi-Y, 1; Honor Roll, one semester.

MADALYN HAMMOND: "Neat and Fashionable"; Gym Show, 2; GAA, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 1.

LOIS HANCOCK: "Sleepy Time Gal"; FHA, 2; Gym Show, 1; Senior Play Comm.

VIOLUS HARRELL: "Jake"; Gym Show, 1; Co-op, 2; Honor Roll, one semester.

KATHLEEN HARROLD: "My Happiness"; Student Council, 3; Little Women, 3; New Moon Staff, 1; Co-op, 1.

VIRGINIA JEAN HART: "With A Song In My Heart"; Glee Club, 3; Choir, 3; Gym Show, 3; Sextet, 1; Debate, 1; Little Women, 3; Variety Show, 3; Band Bounce, 1; Thespians, 2; Tattler Staff, 2; Junior Play Prompter; Senior Play (S.D.); One Act Play Comm., 3; Honor Roll, seven semesters.

DONNA HARTMAN: "Dark Eyes"; Gym Show, 1.

IRMA JUNE HASSINGER: "Dance, Ballerina, Dance"; Choir, 1; Glee Club, 1; Gym Show, 3; Student Council, 1; Tumbling Club, 1; Thespians, 2; Junior Play Cast; Variety Show, 1; Little Women, 3; One Act Play Comm., 2; Senior Play Comm.

DARLENE HATHAWAY: "She's From Missouri"; FTA, 1; Gym Show, 1; Little Women, 1; Senior Play Cast; Transferred from Buchanan, 1949.

MARJORIE A. HEBERLE: "Readin', Writin', and 'Rithmetic"; Thespians, 2; Debate, 2; Glee Club, 1; FTA, 1; Gym Show, 1; One Act Play Cast; Junior Play Comm.; Senior Play Comm.; Little Women, 3; Variety Show, 1; Tattler Staff, 1; Salutatorian; Honor Roll, seven semesters.

SENIORS

PEGGY JOAN HEMPHILL: "Swingin' Along"; Gym Show, 3; Little Women, 2; Junior Play Comm.; Senior Play Cast.

JACK H. HERRICK: "Hercules"; Glee Club, 2; Golf, 1; N-Club, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Variety Show, 2; Game Assistant, 1; Baseball, 1; Gym Show, 3; Honor Roll, one semester.

JANE EDITH HERRICK: "This Nearly Was Mine"; Glee Club, 1; Variety Show, 1; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Spanish Club, 2; Junior Play Comm.; Senior Play Comm.

PHYLLIS HESS: "Enjoy Yourself"; Gym Show, 3; Glee Club, 2; Thespians, 2; Variety Show, 2; FTA, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Senior Play Comm.; Tattler Staff, 1; New Moon Staff, 1; Little Women, 3; One Act Play Cast.

MILDRED HICKERSON: "The Song Is You"; Glee Club, 3; Choir, 3; Sextet, 1; Spanish Club, 1; Little Women, 3; Student Council, 1; Senior Play Cast; Variety Show, 2; Honor Roll, two semesters.

WILLIAM A. HILLIGOSS: "Mr. Five by Five"; Football, 2; Tennis, 2; Gym Show, 2; Game Assistant, 2; Hi-Y, 2; Bleacher Squad, 1.

DOROTHY JEAN HOISINGTON: "And The Band Played On"; Band, 3; Spanish Club, 2; Band Bounce, 3; Little Women, 3; Honor Roll, three semesters.

MARIANNE HOLECEK: "Million Dollar Baby"; Thespians, 1; GAA, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Senior Play Prompter; Gym Show, 3; Little Women, 3; New Moon Staff, 1; One Act Play Comm., 1; Honor Roll, two semesters.

CHARLES HOLLAND: "Easy Going"; Gym Show, 1; Track, 1.

VIELLA HOLLOWAY: "Willie"; FHA, 1; Gym Show, 2; Girls' Officials, 1; New Moon Staff, 1; Transferred from Edwardsburg, Michigan, 1947.

JUNE ADELE HORNBECK: "How You Gonna Keep Her Down On The Farm"; Co-op, 2; Student Council, 1; Gym Show, 2; Little Women, 3; New Moon Staff, 1; Tattler Staff, 2; Honor Roll, seven semesters.

DOROTHY HORNER: "Come Out, Wherever You Are"; Gym Show, 1.

BONNIE HOVER: "How Soon"; GAA, 1; Gym Show, 2; Usher's Club, 3; Game Assistant, 3; Co-op, 1.

NELLIE M. HOYT: "Wait Till the Sun Shines, Nellie"; Gym Show, 3; Little Women, 3; Student Council, 1; Senior Play Comm.

SENIORS

BARBARA ANN HUMPHREY: "Sweet and Lovely"; Thespians, 2; Glee Club, 1; Choir, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Little Women, 3; Variety Show, 1; Gym Show, 3; New Moon Staff, 1; One Act Play Comm., 3; Honor Roll, seven semesters.

ETHEL M. JAMIESON: "That's My Desire"; Glee Club, 1; Gym Show, 3; Little Women, 3; Tattler Staff, 1; Variety Show, 1.

ARVESTER B. JENKINS: "There's No Tomorrow"; GAA, 1; FHA, 1; Gym Show, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; New Moon Staff, 1; Senior Play Comm.; Transferred from Chicago, Illinois, 1947.

WILLIAM E. JONES: "Dimples"; Gym Show. 2; Football, 1; Tennis, 1; N-Club, 1; Bleacher Squad, 1.

HARRIET KIELL: "Look for the Silver Lining"; Gym Show, 1.

VINCENT KILLARNEY: "An Irish Lad"; Gym Show, 3; Game Assistant, 1.

NORMA JEAN KIMBALL. "Someday"; Gym Show, 1; FHA, 1.

EUGENE KLINGLER: "Contented"; Gym Show, 3.

VIOLA LOUISE KUHL: "Could Be"; Gym Show, 1.

JERRY A. LAMONICA: "Pancho"; Football, 3; Bleacher Squad, 1.

ADELL CAROLYN LAWRENCE: "Me and My Shadow"; Spanish Club, 2; Honor Roll, two semesters.

VERDELL MAROLYN LAWRENCE: "My Sister and I."

ROBERT DALE LEACH: "Cigarettes and Whiskey, and Wild, Wild, Women"; Gym Show, 3.

LESTER RALPH LIBEY: "My Marie"; Gym Show, 3; Glee Club, 2; Choir, 1; Variety Show, 2; Projector Operator, 1.

SENIORS

DONALD L. LINN: "At a Ball Game"; Gym Show, 1; Football, 2; Baseball, 3.

MILAN LUKE: "I Got a Gal in South Bend"; Glee Club, 2; Variety Show, 2; Gym Show, 2; Football Manager, 1.

PHILIP MARAZITA: "Just Because You're You"; Football, 2; Glee Club, 1; Student Council President, 1; Gym Show, 2; Hi-Y, 1; N-Club, 1; Variety Show, 1; Senior Play Comm.; Honor Roll, seven semesters.

BURNELL E. MARTIN: "Helen, Helen, Helen"; Gym Show, 3.

RICHARD E. MARTIN: "Waiting for the Train to Come In"; Football, 1; Glee Club, 2; Junior Play Cast; Variety Show, 2; Gym Show, 3; N-Club, 1.

HELEN LOUISE MAY: "When You and I Were Seventeen"; Gym Show, 2.

PATRICIA A. McINTYRE: "Remember Me"; Glee Club, 1; GAA, 2; FHA, 1; Gym Show, 3; Variety Show, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 3.

EVELYN ANNA MECKEL: "Wunderba"; Gym Show, 2; GAA, 2; Co-op, 1; Spanish Club, 2; Senior Play Comm.

Good Luck
Jim Miller
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MARICA JEAN MICHAEL: "Somewhere Over the Rainbow"; Glee Club, 2; Choir, 2; Variety Show, 2; Gym Show, 2; Little Women, 3; Co-op, 1; Honor Roll, two semesters.

JAMES P. MILLER: "When You're Smiling"; Baseball, 2; Glee Club, 2; Variety Show, 2; Gym Show, 1.

PATSY LOU MONAHON: "Angels of Mercy"; Student Council, 1; Gym Show, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 3; Spanish Club, 2.

JOHN GRAHAM MORDEN: "Oh, Johnney"; Senior Play Cast; Gym Show, 2; Hi-Y, 2; One Act Play Cast; Tattler Staff, 2; Pep Comm., 1.

A. ANN MULLIN: "While You're Away"; Thespians, 2; Choir, 3; Band, 3; Orchestra, 1; Junior Play Cast; Band Bounce, 3; Variety Show, 3; One Act Play Comm., 3; Tattler Staff, 1; Spanish Club, 2; Honor Roll, four semesters.

MARJORIE JANE MYER: "Keep the Home Fires Burning"; Gym Show, 3; Little Women, 3; Senior Play Comm.; Honor Roll, one semester.

SENIORS

WILLIAM MYERS: "That Old Gang of Mine"; Basketball, 2; Cross Country, 2; Student Council, 2; Game Assistant, 1; Hi-Y, 1; Gym Show, 2.

NANCY LEE NELLIS: "Laughter Makes the World Go Around"; Student Council, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Gym Show, 3; Senior Play Cast; Usher's Club, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 3; Game Assistant, 3.

LAVERNE E. NEVILL: "Froggie"; Gym Show, 1; Glee Club, 3; Choir, 1; Student Council, 2; Projector Operator, 4; Variety Show, 3; Game Assistant, 1; Bleacher Squad, 1; Honor Roll, one semester.

FRANCIS E. NOGGLE: "You're Everywhere"; Gym Show, 1; Variety Show, 2; Choir, 2; Glee Club, 2; Junior Play (S.D.); One Act Play Cast; Senior Play Cast; Thespians, 2; Co-op, 1; Honor Roll, two semesters.

ALETHA MAE OCHENRYDER: "Ain't We Got Fun"; Thespians, 1; GAA, 1; FTA, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Senior Play Comm.; Gym Show, 3; Little Women, 3; New Moon Staff, 2; Spanish Club, 1; One Act Play Comm.; Honor Roll, seven semesters.

RUTH MARY OLINGHOUSE: "My Shining Hour"; Gym Show, 3; Girls' Officials, 2; Senior Play Cast.

LOUISE MARGARET OSOS: "Can She Bake a Cherry Pie"; Glee Club, 2; Junior Play Cast; Senior Play Cast; Variety Show, 2; Gym Show, 2.

MARGARET JOY OSSMER: "Friendship"; Glee Club, 1; Choir, 1; GAA, 1; Gym Show, 3; Variety Show, 1; Little Women, 3; Spanish Club, 1; Senior Play Comm.; Honor Roll, one semester.

MARY JANE OSWALD: "Someone to Watch Over Me"; GAA, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Gym Show, 3; Little Women, 3; Spanish Club, 2; Senior Play Prompter.

NANCY LOU PARKS: "This Love of Mine"; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Gym Show, 3.

RICHARD J. PFEIL: "Just Piffle"; Debate, 1; Glee Club, 2; Student Council, 2; Junior Class President; Junior Play Comm.; Gym Show, 3; Variety Show, 2; Senior Play Cast; Honor Roll, three semesters.

PEARL ELLEN PICKENS: "I can Dream Can't I"; FHA, 2; Gym Show, 3; Little Women, 3; Senior Play Comm.

BARBARA PINGEL: "I'm In Love With A Wonderful Guy"; Homecoming Queen; Honor Roll, one semester; Transferred from South Bend, Indiana, 1948.

PATSY LOU PINGEL: "It Must Be Love"; Gym Show, 1; Honor Roll, one semester; Transferred from Twelve Mile, Indiana, 1949.

SENIORS

WANDA POINTER: "This Is Always"; Gym Show, 2.

JAMES W. POLLOCK: "Fleetfoot"; Gym Show, 3; Bleacher Squad, 1; Cross Country, 3; Basketball, 2; Track, 3; Student Council, 2.

Good Luck to a sweet girl
Herman Potokar

ELAINE PATRICIA POLLOCK: "I Want To Be Happy"; Gym Show, 1; Co-op, 1.

HERMAN POTOKAR: "That Great Big Hunk of Man"; Football, 3; Basketball, 1; Golf, 3; Student Council, 1; Gym Show, 3; N-Club, 1.

WILLIAM L. POTTER: "Running Wild"; Track, 2; Bleacher Squad, 1; Game Assistant, 1; Gym Show, 3; Tennis, 1; Basketball, 1; Football, 1.

ROBERT W. PRESTINE: "A Hunting We Will Go"; Game Assistant, 1.

PHYLLIS ANN PRETZ: "Wishing"; Co-op, 1.

PHYLLIS M. PUFFER: "This Is The Life"; Glee Club, 1; Choir, 2; Gym Show, 3; GAA, 1; Junior Class Secretary; Student Council, 2; New Moon Staff, 3; Junior Play Comm.; Variety Show, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 2; Honor Roll, two semesters.

INGRID H. RAMPOLDT: "Inky"; Glee Club, 1; GAA, 1; FTA, 1; Variety Show, 1; Gym Show, 3; Spanish Club, 2; Honor Roll, six semesters.

ROBERT RANFT: "Patsy"; Football, 2; Track, 1; Gym Show, 1; Glee Club, 2; Choir, 1.

A Darn good driver
Bob Ranft '58

MARLA M. REDDING: "Strawberry Blonde"; Glee Club, 2; GAA, 2; Gym Show, 3; Variety Show, 1; Honor Roll, two semesters.

JAMES REYNIERS: "That's Unhealthy"; Projector Operator, 1; Junior Play Cast; Debate, 1; Thespians, 2; One Act Play Comm., 2; Tattler Staff, 1; Honor Roll, four semesters.

JACQUELYN L. RICHARDS: "Why Can't You Behave"; Tri-Hi-Y, 3; Gym Show, 3; GAA, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Senior Play Comm.; Prp Comm., 2; Homecoming Queen's Court.

RICHARD H. RICHTER: "My Gang"; Cross Country, 2; Football Manager, 2; Gym Show, 3; Track, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Senior Play Cast; Baseball, 1; N-Club, 2; Bleacher Squad, 1.

SENIORS

JOHN D. RILEY: "Dance With Me"; Football, 3; Track, 3; N-Club, 2; Basketball, 1; Gym Show, 3; Game Assistant, 1.

ROSE M. ROCKWELL: "Nothing Was Heard"; Gym Show, 3.

JOHN R. SCAMEHORN: "Every Day Is Ladies Day With Me"; Basketball, 1; Golf, 2; Thespians, 2; Band, 4; Band Bounce, 4; Projector Operator, 2; Junior Play Cast; One Act Play Cast; Tattler Staff, 2; New Moon Staff, 1; Co-op, 1; Honor Roll, one semester.

John R. Scamehorn

LORRAINE LYDIA SCHADLER: "Let The Rest of the World Go By"; GAA, 3; FHA, 1; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Senior Play Comm.

DORRIS E. SCHAEN: "On Roller Skates"; Gym Show, 3; Honor Roll, three semesters.

SHIRLEY L. SCHNEIDER: "Honey Bun"; Junior Play Comm.; Gym Show, 3; Little Women, 2.

LILA MAE SCHRADER: "Thou Swell"; New Moon Staff, 3; Spanish Club, 2; Thespians, 2; FTA, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Senior Play Comm.; One Act Play Cast; Debate, 1; Little Women, 3; Student Vice-President; Gym Show, 2; Honor Roll, seven semesters.

MARIE E. SEIFERT: "A Smile for Everyone"; Glee Club, 3; Choir, 2; Sextet, 2; Senior Class Secretary; GAA, 1; Student Council, 1; Band Bounce, 2; Variety Show, 3; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Senior Play Comm.; Honor Roll, four semesters.

JOCELYN JEAN SELLERS: "Deep In The Heart of Texas"; GAA, 2; Gym Show, 2; FHA, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 2.

BOB SEVER: "My Merry Studebaker"; Glee Club, 2; Variety Show, 2.

WILLIAM SHANNON: "Follow the Girls"; Thespians, 2; Glee Club, 2; Senior Class Vice-President; Student Council, 2; Football Manager, 1; Gym Show, 2; Basketball Manager, 1; One Act Play Cast; Junior Play Comm.; Variety Show, 2; Hi-Y, 2; Cheerleader, 2; N-Club, 3; Tattler Staff, 2; Pep Comm.; Honor Roll, six semesters.

JACQUELINE J. SHEARER: "We'll Build a Bungalow"; Gym Show, 2; Student Council, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Honor Roll, one semester.

DALE V. SHEPARDSON: "Muscles"; Glee Club, 2; Football, 3; Basketball, 1; Track, 3; Projector Operator, 1; Gym Show, 3; Variety Show, 2; Bleacher Squad, 1; Co-op, 1; Game Assistant, 1.

HELEN SHERWOOD: "The Helen Polka"; Gym Show, 2.

SENIORS

CARYL KAY SHURTE: "Wedding Bells"; Gym Show, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Transferred from Dowagiac, Michigan, 1947.

LOIS JANE SIEBERT: "This Is Always"; Co-op, 1.

ALICIA ANNE SIMPSON: "An Artist's Hand"; Tri-Hi-Y, 3; GAA, 2; Student Council, 1; Gym Show, 3; Game Assistant, 1; Honor Roll, two semesters.

OTTO G. SLACK: "Bashful"; Cross Country, 2; Glee Club, 2; Variety Show, 2; Gym Show, 1; N-Club, 3; Honor Roll, one semester.

DUANE ROSS SMITH: "Rough and Ready"; Gym Show, 1; Co-op, 1; Transferred from Litchfield, Michigan, 1948.

ROBERT COLLINS SMITH: "I Love You So Much It Hurts Me"; Cross Country, 3; Track, 3; N-Club, 3; Game Assistant, 1; Honor Roll, one semester.

TOM SOMERS: "Make Believe."

RONALD SPANSAIL: "Whispering"; Gym Show, 2.

SAM STARKS: "That Southern Accent"; Glee Club, 1; Gym Show, 2; Transferred from West Point, Arkansas, 1947.

MARY E. STEPHENSON: "This Love of Ours"; Thespians, 2; Glee Club, 2; Choir, 2; GAA, 1; Student Council, 1; Junior Play Cast; Variety Show, 2; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Tumbling Club, 1; New Moon Staff, 1; One Act Play Comm.; Honor Roll, one semester.

PATRICIA J. STOVER: "Dearie"; Glee Club, 1; Variety Show, 1; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 1.

JOHN ROBERT THOMPSON: "What Does It Matter"; Football, 1; Baseball, 2; N-Club, 1; Gym Show, 2; Honor Roll, one semester.

SUZANNE LEE TURNER: "If You Knew Suzie"; Glee Club, 1; Choir, 1; Band, 3; Vice-President Junior Class; GAA, 4; FTA, 1; Student Council, 1; Band Bounce, 3; Gym Show, 1; Little Women, 2; Variety Show, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Senior Play Cast; Spanish Club, 1; Honor Roll, two semesters.

THOMAS LEE TYLER: "All the Things You Are"; Validictorian; Senior Class President; Football, 2; Track, 3; Thespians, 2; Glee Club, 1; Student Council, 2; Junior Play Cast; Senior Play Cast; Variety Show, 1; Hi-Y, 2; One Act Play Cast, 2; N-Club, 2; New Moon Staff, 1; Honor Roll, seven semesters.

SENIORS

WILLIAM VAN ARMAN: "Slippin' Around"; Basketball, 2; Cross Country, 2; Track, 2; Projector Operator, 3; Gym Show, 2; Bleacher Squad, 1; Game Assistant, 1; Hi-Y, 1; N-Club, 2; Senior Play Cast.

RONALD VAN GILDER: "I Love A Piano"; Choir, 1; Football, 1; Variety Show, 1; Gym Show, 3; Glee Club, 2.

JACQUELINE VETTERLY: "When I Grow Too Old To Dream"; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 2; Honor Roll, one semester.

GLENN E. VILLWOCK: "Farmer Boy"; Gym Show, 2; Projector Operator, 2; FFA, 2.

ALBERT J. WALSH: "Marianne"; Gym Show, 3; Projector Operator, 1.

NANCY CHRISTINA WARD: "My Foolish Heart"; Thespians, 2; Glee Club, 2; GAA, 1; FTA, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Variety Show, 2; Gym Show, 3; Tri-Hi-Y, 2; One Act Play Cast, 2; New Moon Staff, 3; Pep Comm., 1; Senior Play Cast; Transferred from Greencastle, Indiana, 1947.

COZEE DAWN WEAVER: "Horses, Horses, Horses"; FHA, 1; Gym Show, 3; GAA, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 3.

PAULA WELLINGHAM. "Dancing in the Dark"; Thespians, 2; Glee Club, 2; Choir, 3; Sextet, 1; GAA, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Variety Show, 3; Gym Show, 3; Senior Play Comm.; One Act Play Cast; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Pep Comm., 2; Cheerleader, 2.

EULALIA E. WETMORE: "When the Organ Played"; Gym Show, 1.

JACK WILLIAMS: "So Quiet"; Glee Club, 1; Choir, 1; Football, 1; Cross Country, 1; Variety Show, 1; Gym Show, 3; Bleacher Squad, 1; Pep Comm., 1; Honor Roll, one semester.

JOAN MARIE WILLIAMS. "Still Waters Run Deep"; GAA, 3; Gym Show, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 2; Co-op, 1; Honor Roll, five semesters.

MALBURNE W. WILLIAMS: "Quit Pulling My Leg"; Cross Country, 3; Track, 2; Gym Show, 3; N-Club, 3.

LOIS MAE WILSON: "Forever and Ever"; Glee Club, 2; Variety Show, 2; Gym Show, 2; Tri-Hi-Y, 1; Co-op, 1.

DALE K. WOODS: "Going My Way"; Gym Show, 1.

SENIORS

MARY ELEANOR WORTHAM: "Music, Music, Music"; Glee Club, 1; Choir, 1; FTA, 1; Junior Play Comm.; Variety Show, 1; Gym Show, 1; Tri-Hi-Y, 2.

ROBERT EDMUND YAW: "The Farmer in The Dell"; Gym Show, 3; Game Assistant, 2; Football, 1; Baseball, 2; Track, 1; FFA, 2; Hi-Y, 1.

JOHN YELOPE, JR.: "Goodby, John"; Gym Show, 1; Baseball, 1; Football, 1; Basketball, 1; Honor Roll, three semesters.

WAYNE YOST: "Jeanie With The Light Brown Hair"; Tennis, 2; Gym Show, 1; N-Club, 1; Co-op, 1.

MARY CARY YOUNG: "Daddy's Little Girl"; Junior Play Comm.; Tattler Staff, 3; Variety Show, 3; Gym Show, 2; Little Women, 3; Spanish Club, 1; Glee Club, 3; GAA, 3; Student Council, 1; Senior Play Comm.

DOROTHEA ZIELINSKI: "Stormy Weather"; Gym Show, 1.

DIANA ZIMMERMAN: "Some of These Days"; Gym Show, 2.

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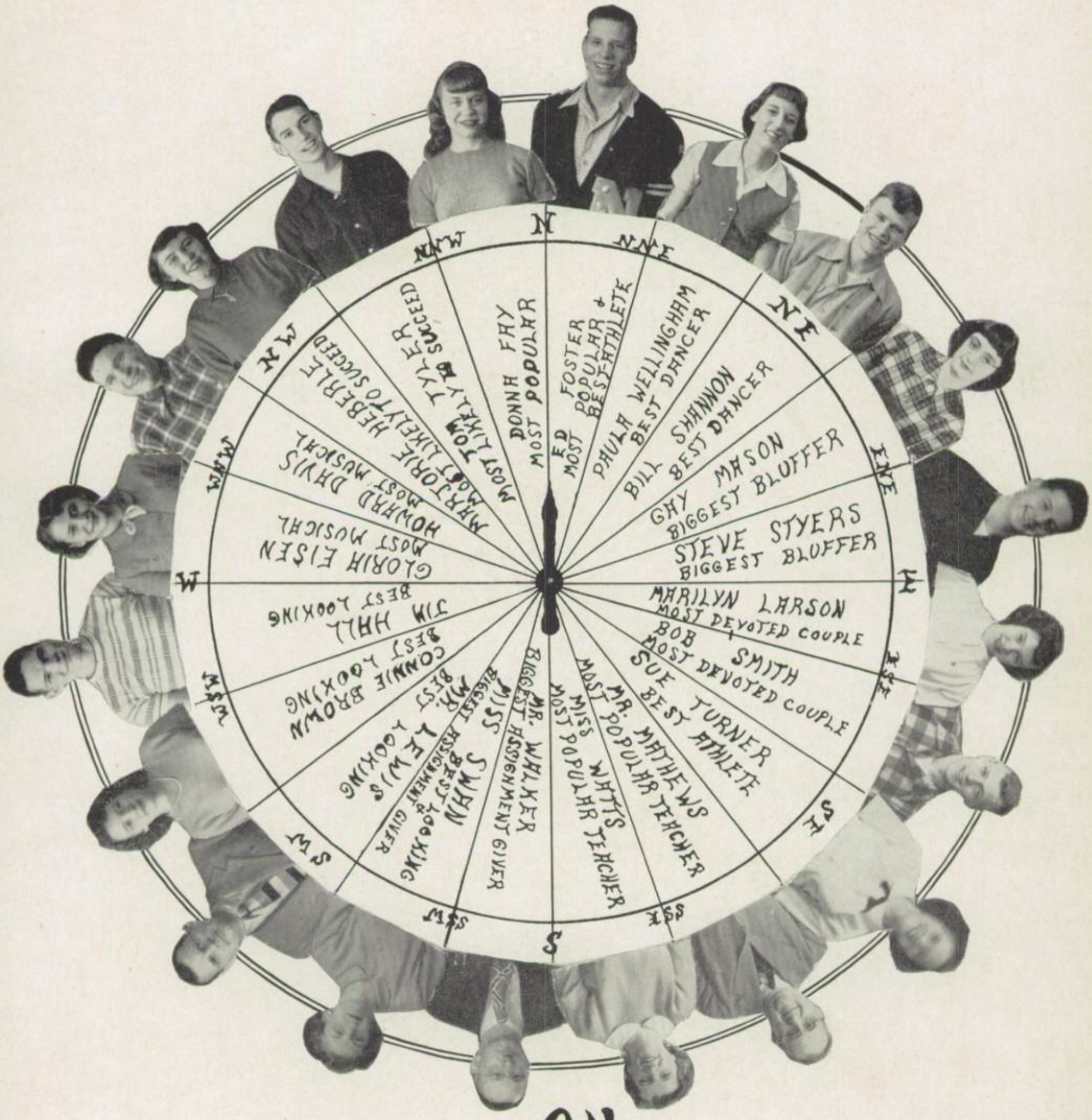

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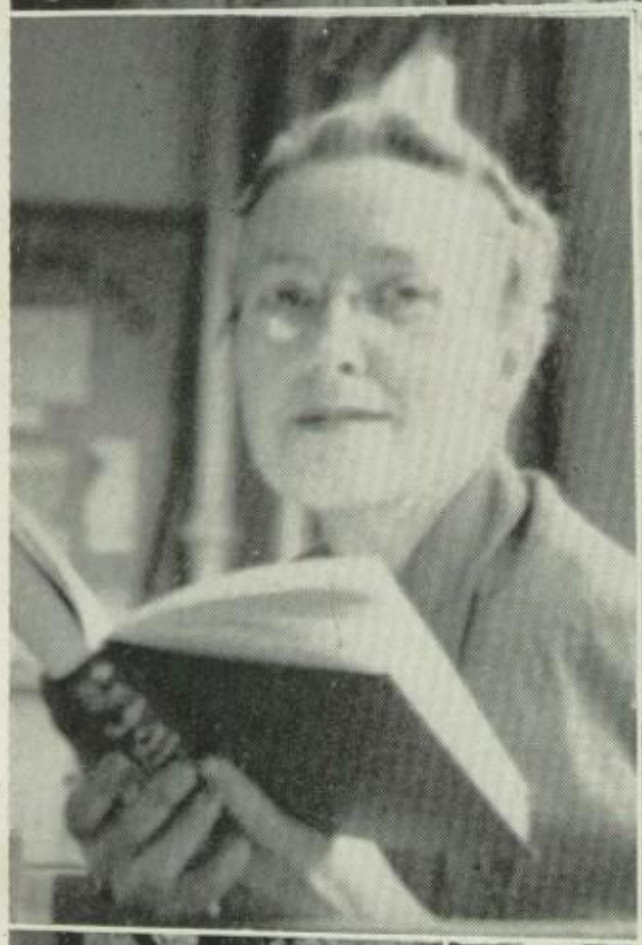

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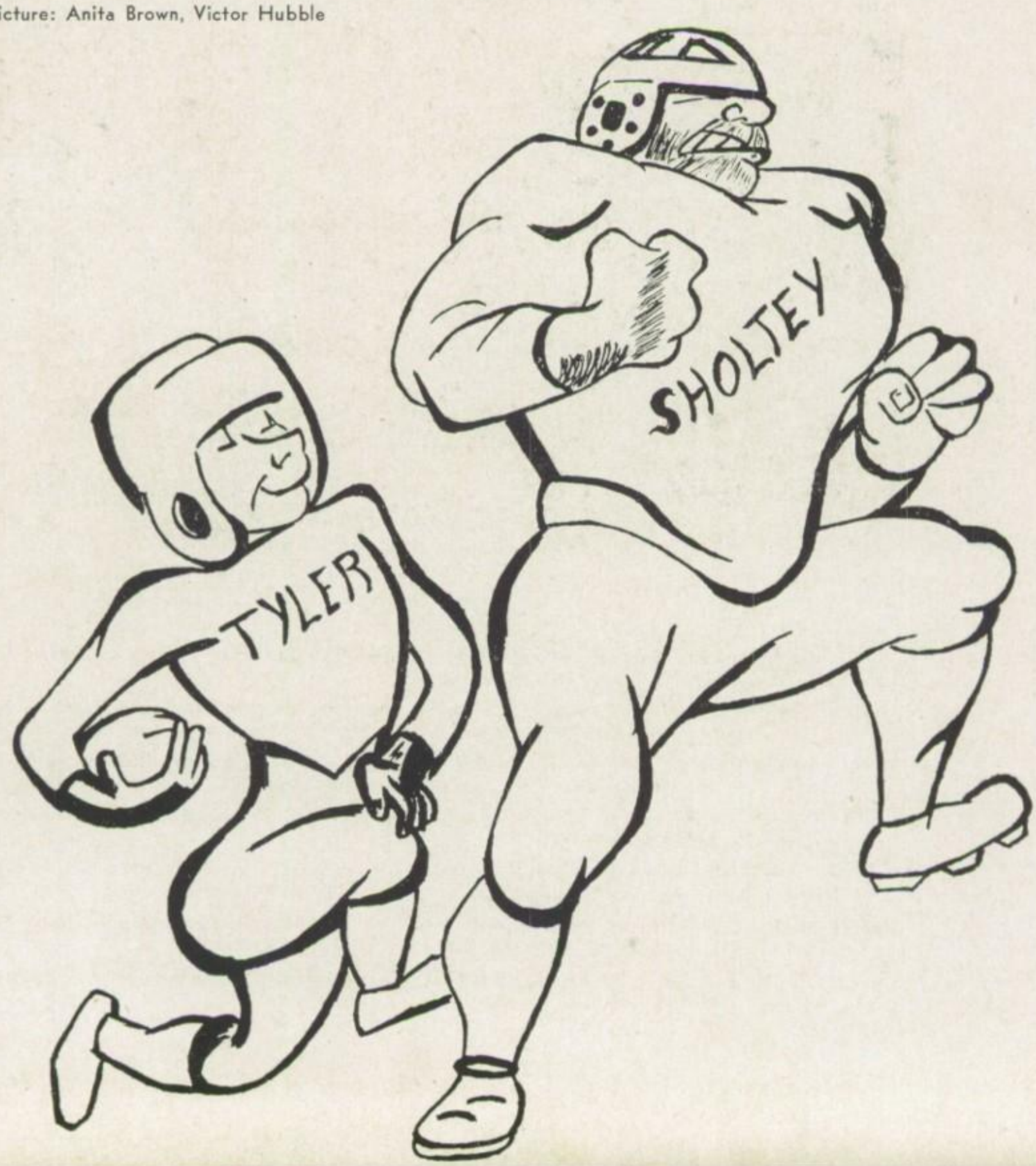

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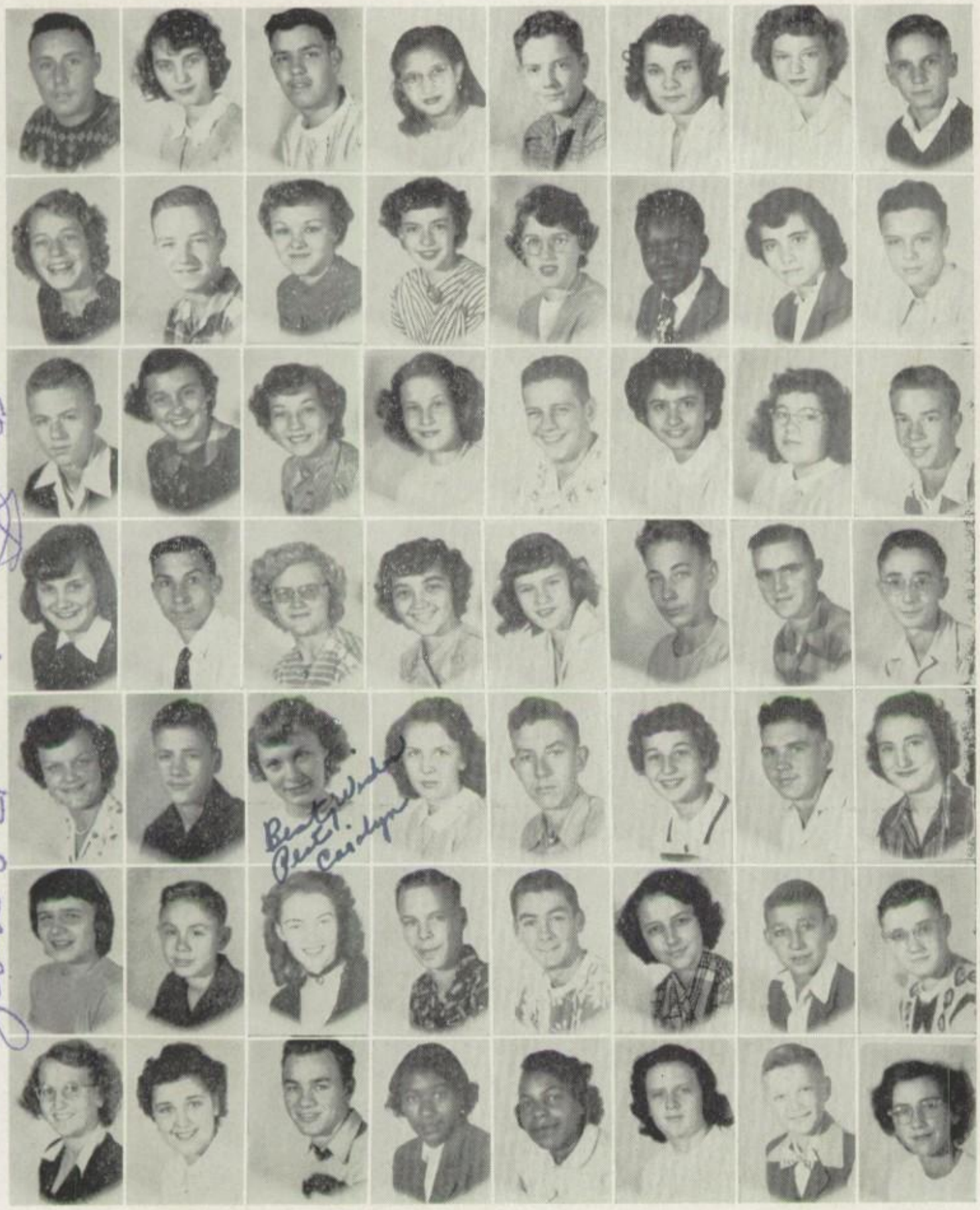

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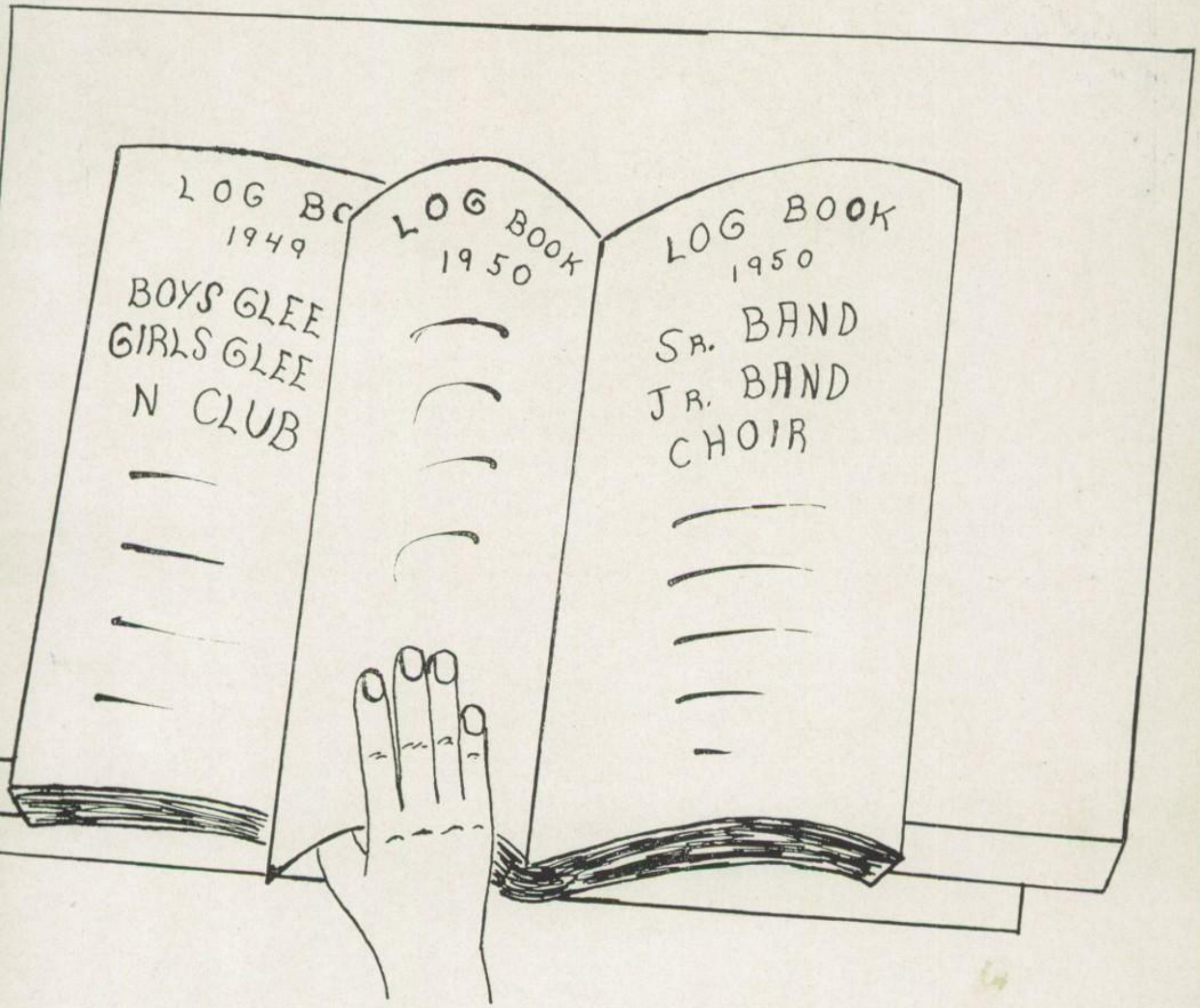

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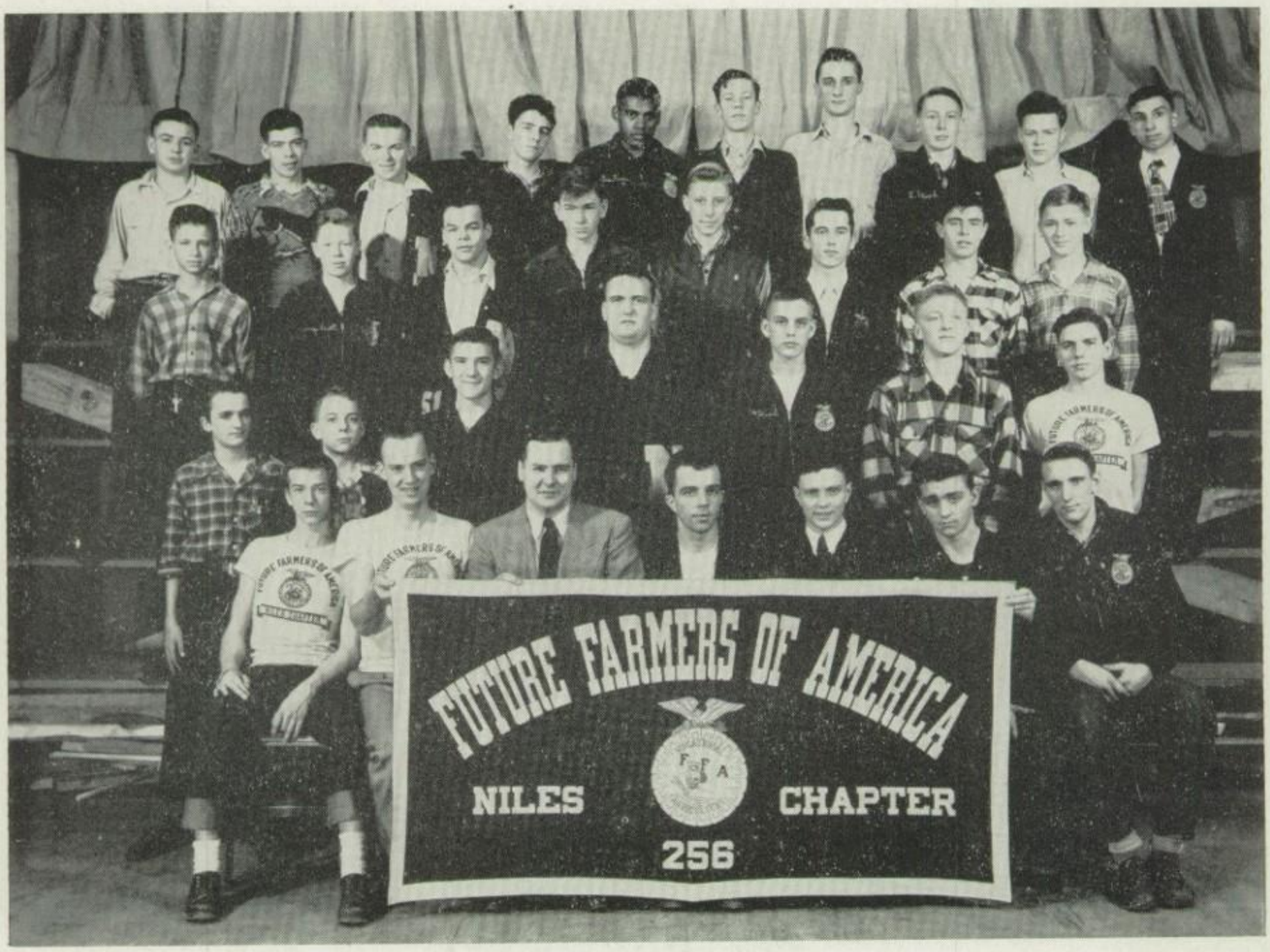

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Since its organization in 1948, the F. F. A. Chapter of Niles High School has improved its program and increased its activities. In the fall the boys planted a fourteen acre cooperative wheat project. They also bought two registered duroc gilts as a start for a gilt chain.

Members of the organization have entered several county, district, and state contests this year. They were most successful in the district parliamentary procedure contest for which the group received a silver rating, the state dairy judging contest in which they placed second, the state apple judging contest with seventh placement, and the county potato judging contest in which they placed second.

Back Row: Lynn Berquist, Beverly Gray, Constance Lutzen, Elaine Brewer, Onia Rose, Patricia Schrader, Lucille Williams, Ruth Corey, Waneta Baker, Linda Clay, Fay Shepardson, Kay Shepardson, Beverly Atkins, Lova Christman

Fourth Row: Nancy Weist, Jane Rhodes, Patricia Phillips, Sandra Smith, Mary Ann Shoemaker, Alice Sanford, Shirley Messenger, Nancy Southworth, Ann Ralston, Kathleen Lierly, Betty Jorgensen

Third Row: Virginia Goldfriss, Virginia Pickens, Marjorie Burton, Mari Davis, Barbara Finley, Shirley Dutton, Gloria Johnson, Marlene Milner, Shirley Hindershott, Barbara Tuttle, Esther Corey

Second Row: Dolores Arnold, Arvester Jenkins, Viella Holloway, Margery Fries, Patricia Asmus, Lois Hancock, Marcia Haslanger, Pearl Pickens, Anna Dodd, Helen Stringham

First Row: Mary Ann Brothers, Marlene Micholski, Joan Howard, Donna Turtle, Mrs. Olson, Doris Biederman, Kathryn Goldfuss, Beverly Clay, Barbara Harroff

F. H. A.

President - - -	Donna Turtle	Treasurer - -	Kathryn Goldfuss
Vice-President -	Doris Biederman	Historian - - -	Beverly Clay
Secretary - -	Joan Howard	Adviser - - - -	Mrs. Olson

The 1944 home economics education workers from twenty-nine states met for a convention in Chicago to introduce plans for developing the Future Homemakers of America organization and the Charter under which it would function. Many local home economics clubs adopted these plans and reorganized to meet the requirements of the new F. H. A. Charter.

The general purpose of the F. H. A. is to create an interest and emphasize the importance of worthy home membership and the satisfactions of homemaking. Active membership in the organization is for those who are enrolled in homemaking in junior and senior high schools.

Back Row: Shirley Walker, Mirian Gring, Phyllis Hess, Estella Jones, John Gersonde, Eddie Cotrell, Kenny Saathoff, Dick Marquardt

Third Row: Mary Wortham, Julia Brown, Delores Cannady, Margaret Mannix, Ingrid Rampoldt, Phyllis Noggle, Gwen Webber, Gerry Webber

Second Row: Marie Reum, Louise Mark, Lee Ochenryder, Lila Schrader, Nance Ward, Gay Mason, Marjorie Heberle, Leah Nieb, Virginia Myler

First Row: Sue Turner, Andrea French, Mrs. Olson, Mrs. Tiller, Martha Funk, Marilyn Larson

F. T. A.

President	Andrea French
Vice-President	Sue Turner
Secretary	Norma Spansail
Treasurer	Martha Funk

This is the first year that the Future Teachers of America has been organized in Niles High School under the Charter received from the National Education Association. Its purpose is to encourage students to become instructers through Cadet teaching. Besides teaching in the classroom members of the group learn facts about that profession in their own locality, state, and nation and the opportunities in it. Then, too, character qualities essential to a good teacher, and leadership may be developed through participation in the activities of the organization.

Best of luck in the future to this group which is assisting in promoting interest in the profession of teaching.

Dick Pfeil, Mr. Whaley, Jim Reyniers, Cap Grathwohl, Dick Easley, Margie Heberle

DEBATE SQUAD

For the first time in many years a debate team was organized in Niles High School under Coach Francis "Pete" Whaley. The squad attended pre-season debate clinics at The University of Michigan and Western Michigan College in Kalamazoo. The season opened with a practice debate with South Bend Central High School. The teams chosen were Richard Easley and Marjorie Heberle, Affirmative; James Reyniers and Richard Pfiel, Negative; and Cap Grathwohl filling the roll of chairman, alternate, time keeper, cheer leader, and chief supporter during the season. The squad won the six out of eight conference debates that entitled them to enter the regional tournaments, but the squad lost in the first round to Grand Rapids Creston.

Schedule	Negative	Affirmative
Nov. 8, at South Bend Central	lost	lost
*Nov. 11, at State High	lost	won
*Nov. 25, Berrien Springs here	won	won
*Dec. 9, at Battle Creek Lakeview	lost	won
*Jan. 6, Comstock here	won	won
Jan. 31, at South Bend Central	won	not participate
Feb. 18, at South Bend Central	lost	lost
Feb. 3, at Grand Rapids Creston	lost	not participate

* (Regional)

Back Row: Sidney Howes, Bill Shannon, Jean Hart, Phyllis Noggle, Jim Wieghart, Francis Noggle, John Scamehorn, Bev Holt, Mary Farmer, Irma Hassinger, Joyce Vandenberg

Second Row: Pat Riggs, Janice Gray, Lee Ochenryder, Ann Mullin, Gay Mason, Marianne Holecek, Margie Heberle, Marilyn Larson

First Row: Barbara Humphrey, Phyllis Hess, Tom Tyler, Jim Reyniers, Mr. Hallenius, Nance Ward, Lila Schrader, Mary Stephenson, Paula Wellingham

THESPIAN SOCIETY

Thespian Troupe 766 has been very active this year. Jim Reyniers acted as president; Nance Ward, vice-president; Lila Schrader, secretary; Tom Tyler, treasurer; Phyl Hess, clerk; Bill Shannon and Barbara Humphery, directors.

The three one-act plays presented on March 18 were "He Ain't Done Right by Nell," a melodrama directed by Ann Mullin, "Nor Tonight," a farce directed by Frances Noggle, "The Wonder Hat," a harlequinade directed by Jim Reyniers.

The troupe built the new flats for the stage, sponsored parties for the play casts and committee members after the performances, and went to Chicago in January and May to see a play.

G. A. A.

Back Row: Evelyn Hancock, Joan Brooks, Jean Brooks, Rose Richardson, Janice Snook, Joan Brand, Shirley Dutton, Shirley Dickerson, Marilyn Coons, Barbara Ramsby, Reba Simpson, Katherine Freeze, Jean Hancock, Connie Lutzen, Susan Taylor, Fay Sheperdson, Laura Brewes

Fifth Row: Sandra Clark, Ruby Richardson, Annabelle Low, Patricia Orias, Beverly Gray, Doris Biederman, Deloris Arnold, Lova Christman, Nancy Southworth, Elaine Klann, Frieda Compoe, Virginia Wright, Kay Shepherdson, Beverly Atkins

Fourth Row: Nancy Thornton, Joy Freeze, Norma Spansail, Janet Green, Nancy Schott, Mary Davis, Barbara Finley, Barbara Fuller, Mary Fries, Helen Luth, Donna Davis, Leah Nieb, Hortense Holloway

Third Row: Nadine Hilligoss, Norma Riley, Carmella Frucci, Secretary-Treasurer, Arvester Jenkins, Sue Turner, Vice-President, Nance Ward, Julia Krieger, Rosemary Fletcher, Julia MacDonald, Sharon Lund, Jane Prathwohl, Mimi Alkinson, Sue Smith.

Second Row: Evelyn Cripe, Frances Compoe, Loriane Schaddler, Susan Schott, Beverly Raw, Joan Howard, Marlene Michalski, Andrea French, Jean Harvath, Josephine Mudd, Delores Johnson

First Row: Sandra Smith, Lucia Riddle, Betty Haberling, Lois Brown, Verna Gieshert, President, Miss Watts, Virginia Myler, Gay Dicerto, Karien Cook, Beverly Riley

GIRL'S OFFICIALS

Third Row: Viella Holloway, Jean Hancock, Delores Arnold, Waneta Schrader, Doris Biederman

Second Row: Verna Giesjert, Frieda Compoe, Joy Fries, Sue Turner, Pat Cummins, Ruth Olinghouse

First Row: Nancy Gessinger, Joyce Vandenberg, Miss Watts, Rose Lee Wright, Virginia Wright

USHERS CLUB

Back Row: Sue Hibbard, Pat Carpenter, Pat Coleman, Joannie Renterghem, Jeanne Geary
Second Row: Phyllis Geary, Bonnie Hover, Jenefer Forbes, Shirley Kerr, Margaret Aberman
First Row: Janice Gray, Ande French, Mr. Whitwam, Nancy Nellis, Connie Brown

GAME ASSISTANTS AND BLEACHER SQUAD

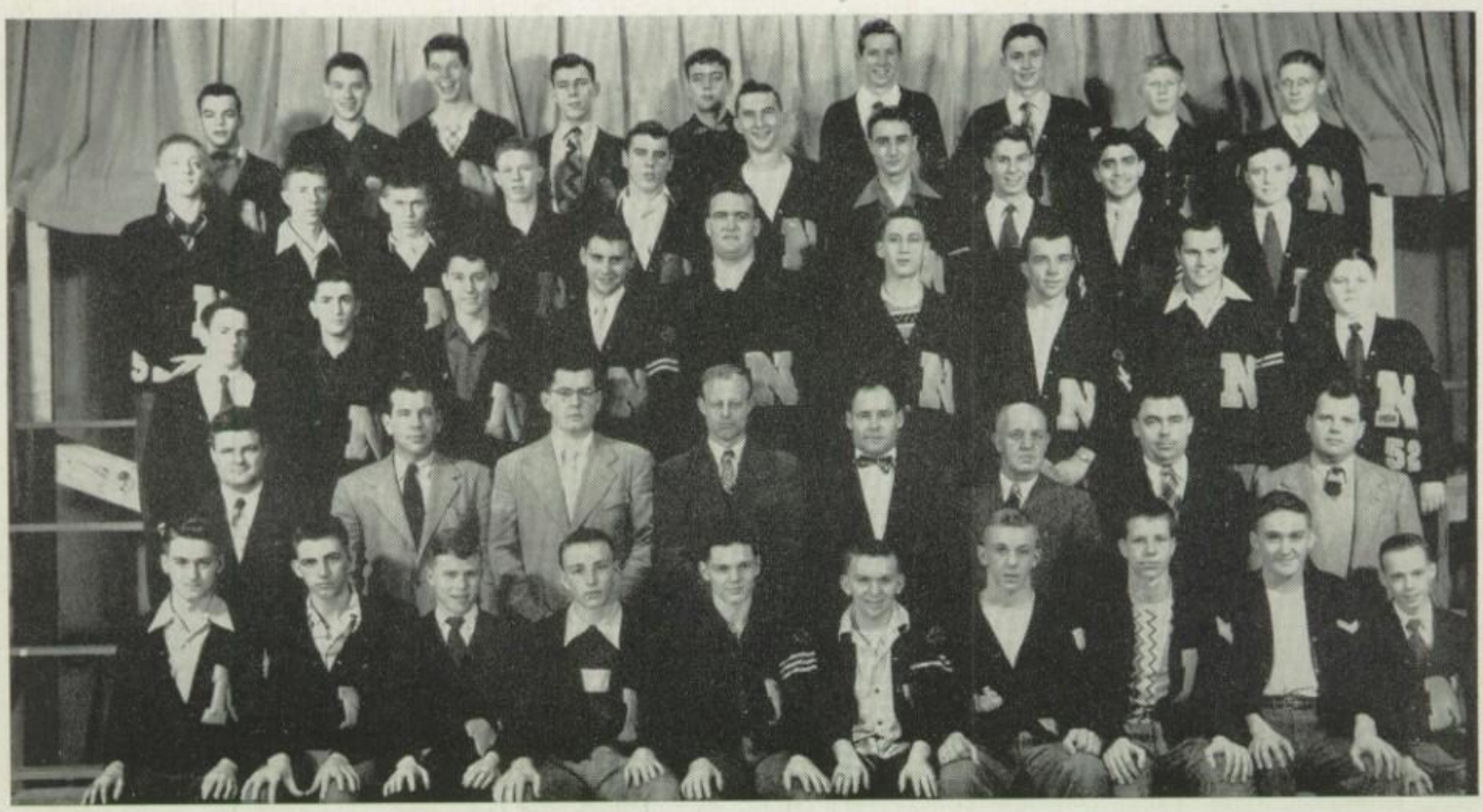
Back Row: Jim Gillespie, John Riley, John Schoff, Bill Potter, Jerry Knoll, Jim Wieghart, David Gibson, Don Fife, Bill Myers, Harold Lewis, Vincent Kilarney, George Garnes, Bob Cashbaugh
Third Row: Bob Renbarger, Skip Morris, Bob Yaw, Glen Page, Tom Tyler, Jim Burnham, Joe Crocker, Ed Foster, Bill Van Arman, John Dickey, Skip Bedinger, Bill Fenton
Second Row: Shirley Kerr, Jennifer Forbes, Pat Coleman, Bob Smith, Jack Fein, Bill Hilligoss, Mac McCormick, Irwin Cross, Dick DeForrest, Dale Geer, Leonard Waugh
First Row: Sue Hibbard, Pat Carpenter, Phyllis Geary, Connie Brown, Mr. Whitwam, Nancy Nellis, Janice Gray, Jean Geary, Andrea French, Joan Renterghem, Margaret Aberman

CHEER LEADERS

Standing: Bev Conrad, Elaine Vance, Marilyn Larson
Kneeling: Paula Wellingham, Bill Shannon, Gerry Emmons

PEP SQUAD

Third Row: Pat Prenkert, Marilyn Larson, Jack Fien, Joan Renterghem
Second Row: Jackie Richards, Nance Ward, Nancy McCartney, Bev Conrad, Elaine Vance, Marilyn Larson
First Row: Paula Wellingham, Wr. Whitwam, Gerry Emmons, Bill Shannon



Back Row: Jack Dorn, Skip Morris, Jerry Knoll, John Riley, Bob Thompson, David Berquist, Bill Jones, Don McCormick, Otto Slack

Fourth Row: William Hayes, Dick Cooper, Jack Zimmer, Laudner Phillips, Bob Wolters, Jim Chrzan, Joe Crocker, Tom Tyler, Phil Marazita, Bob Lowe

Third Row: Leonard Waugh, Joe Gessinger, Tom Reidenback, Jim Burnham, Larry Sholtey, Cliff Crocker, John Dickey, Herman Potokar, Phil Parker

Second Row: Mr. Theus, Mr. Hatcher, Mr. Bender, Mr. McAlvey, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Hutchins, Mr. Whitwam, Mr. Lewis

First Row: Wayne Yost, Malburne Williams, Bill Shannon, Ronnie Dunham, Jim Hall, Erwin Cross, Dick Richter, Ed Foster, Bill Van Arman, Jack Herrick

''N'' CLUB

The "N" Club is an organization open to any boy earning his major letter in any interscholastic sport. An initiation is held for new members after each sport season.

The main project of the club this year has been the purchasing of a new trophy case to replace our present overcrowded one. The club has also sold ice cream bars at the basketball games, using this money to help pay for the lunches for the teams. In the spring the "N" Club plans to sponsor a dance in honor of the sports fans of "NHS."

GIRL'S GLEE CLUB

Fifth Row: Joyce Hoese, Ruby Richardson, Elaine Vance, Gay Mason, Ann Weaver, Ida Mae Baker, Mary Zimmerman, Phyllis Noggle, Ingrid Rampoldt, Pat Stover, Mary Stephenson

Fourth Row: Nance Ward, Phyllis Puffer, Sue Turner, Phyllis Hess, Louise Osos, Virginia Smalley, Connie Brown, Joyce Vandenburg, Carol Jaeger, Ethel Jamieson, Irma Hassinger

Third Row: Mary Young, Jeanne Geary, Pat Coons, Ann Harrington, Jean Hart, Jennifer Forbes, Margaret Ossmer, Pat McIntyre, Ann Ullery, Margie Heberle, Barbara Humphrey

Second Row: Mary Farmer, Barbara Fuller, Donna Fay, Margaret Aberman, Joyce Johnson, Mary Fries, Sally Green, Barbara Sheperis, Gwen Slack, Lucia Riddle

First Row: Margaret Miller, Marilyn Bisby, Pat Carpenter, Marla Redding, Mr. Flora, Alice Brevier, Accompanist, Marie Seifert, President, Paula Wellingham, Secretary-Treasurer, Millie Hickerson, Vice-President, Jane Herrick

SEXTET

Jean Hart, Sally Green, Marie Siefert, Millie Hickerson, Paula Wellingham, Carol Jaeger, Mr. Flora

Back Row: Frank Zimmerman, Bob Hoese, Mike Nykios, Lester Libey, Bill Shannon, Bob Wolters, Tom Tyler, Bob Renbarger, John Balon, George Garnes, John Vandenberg, Bob Handshaw

Fourth Row: Bill Fenton, Jim Weeghart, Steve Styers, Bob Sever, Don Clubine, Omar Brubaker, Jim Miller, Jack Williams, Laverne Neville, Jerry Percy

Third Row: Leonard Waugh, Dick Pfiel, Ronold VanGilder, Jim Burnham, Larry Sholtey, Jim Chrzan, David Steinbaur, Ralf Rampoldt, Ronald Boersema, Cap Grathwohl

First Row: Jim Mack, Otto Slack, Dick Crettell, Phil Marazita, Alice Brever, Mr. Flora, Dick Martin, Dick Galbreath, Jack Herrick, Woodrow Morrison

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

President - - - - - Dick Martin
Vice-President - - - - Dick Galbreath
Secretary-Treasurer - - - - Phil Marizita

The Boys' Glee wore traditional white shirts in alternating rows of blue and gold ties this year. They participated in the Christmas programs, the Variety Show and other programs about town and in school.

Mr. George Flora directed, and Miss Alice Brevier accompanied the Boys' Glee through a very successful year.

Fifth Row: Carol Jaeger, Gay Mason, Bob Wolters, Dick Galbreath, George Garnes, Ronald Van Gilder, David Berquist, Jack Williams, David Steinbauer, Glenn Freeze, Alice Brevier, Jean Hart, Phyllis Noggle

Fourth Row: Jean Geary, Marie Seifert, Sue Turner, Robert Hoese, Robert Lowe, John Balon, Dale Frizzel, Lester Libey, Dick Perry, Ann Weaver, Mary Farmer, Irma Hassinger, Margaret Ossmer

Third Row: Mary Young, Lucia Riddle, LaVerne Neville, Jerry Percy, John Vandenburg, Ronald Michael, Elwood Berkompass, Leonard Waugh, Phyllis Puffer, Meri Wortham, Ida Mae Baker

Second Row: Joyce Hoese, Sally Green, Mary Stephenson, Bill Pollock, James Mack, Sid Howes, Dick Marquardt, Don Crane, Woodrow Morrison, Margaret Miller, Pat Carpenter, Millie Hickerson

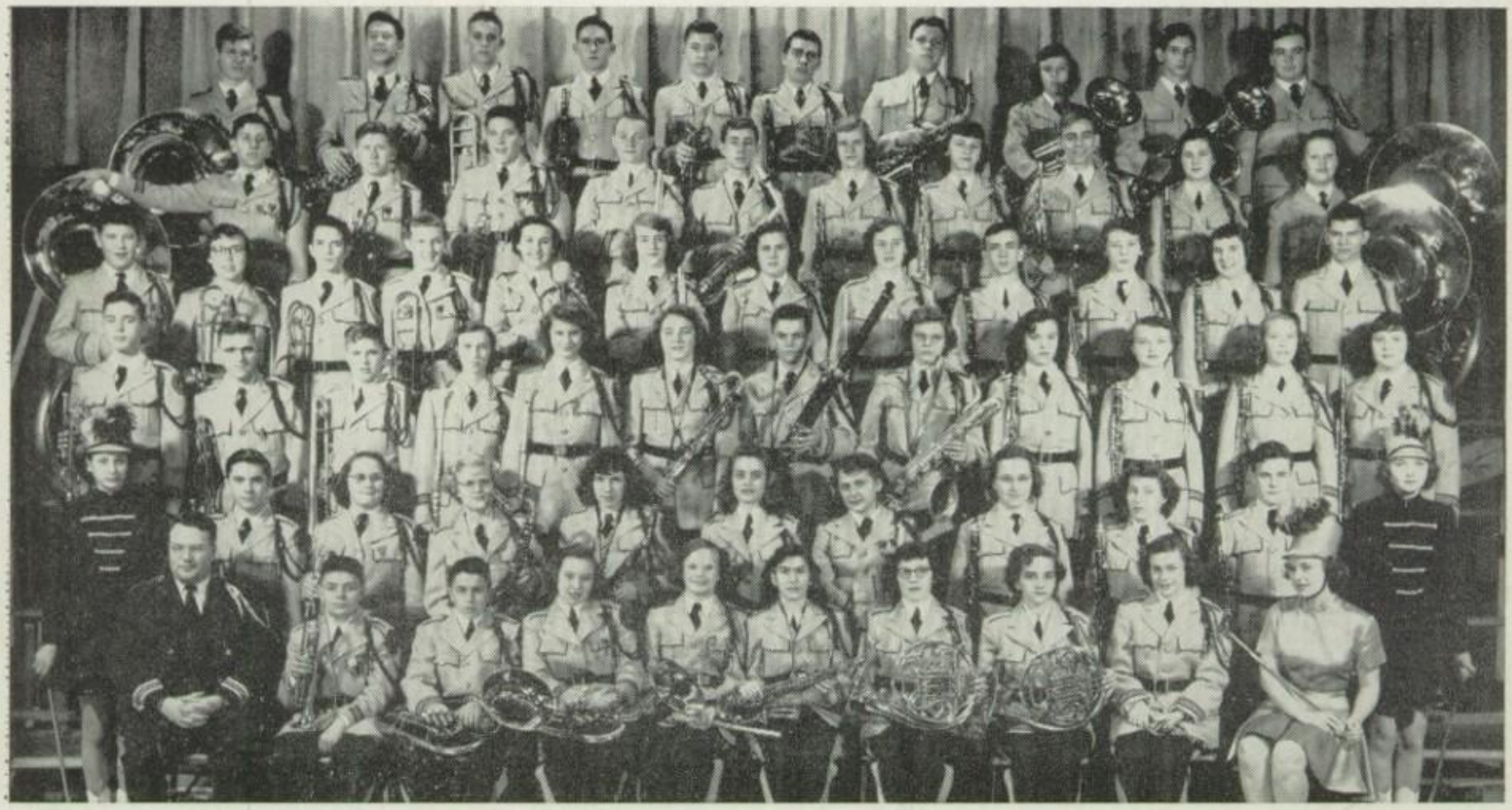
First Row: Pat Prenkert, Donna Faye, Barbara Humphrey, Connie Brown, Vice-President, James Burnham, Treasurer, Mr. Flora, Gloria Eisen, Francis Noggle, President, Ann Mullin, Secretary, Paula Wellingham, Marilyn Bisby

SENIOR HIGH CHOIR

The Choir, under the able direction of Mr. George Flora, had another successful year. Miss Gloria Eisen did her usual fine job of accompanying. At Christmas-time the Choir gave a series of programs, including the annual program for the high school.

The major project of the year was the Variety Show. It featured songs from "South Pacific" and was a huge success. The Choir also participated in the Berrien County Vocal Festival at St. Joseph in April.

Sixty-odd students, selected on their vocal merits, met four (and sometimes five) mornings a week at eight o'clock. The members all enjoy the work and are proud to wear those blue and gold robes.



Row 6: John Baumgartner, John Scamehorn, Norman Mead, Claire McKee, Bradley Robinson, Eugene McClary, Donald Grafford, Glenn Freeze, Bill Young, Bill Baxter

Row 5: Erick Starnel, Jack Rhodes, Howard Davis, President, Tom Bell, Larry Shoemaker, Catherine Tomlinson, Nancy McCartney, Dick Marquardt, Lois Purucker, Donna Turtle

Row 4: Dick Scamehorn, Carol Carlson, Glen Burch, Marilyn Wenzel, Treasurer, Joy Freeze, Ann Mullin, Esther Parker, Estella Jones, Jim Bowden, Barbara Nason, Carol Knauf, Dick Perry

Row 3: Jack Kubiak, Anthony Graebner, Denny Treesch, Suzanne McKee, Miriam Kennedy, Lois Kater, Roger Maxwell, Cleora Anstis, Lois McNitt, Beverly Eaton, Merilyn Whitfield, Joyce Walters, Secretary

Row 2: Jean Van Tuyl, Karl Haviland, Dena Park, Verna Gieshert, Margaret Curtis, Lorene Pike, Gloria Eisen, Dorothy Hoisington, Vice-President, Norma Riley, Joe Benjamin, Patsy Brown

Row 1: Mr. Correll, Dick Thomas, Osman Ziegler, Marilyn Larson, Gerry Hilla, Juanita Day, Betty Briney, Margaret Amon, Joyce Ferris, Pat Riggs

SENIOR HIGH BAND

The Band was very active this year during the football games and home basketball games. They gave several concerts sponsored by the Instrumentral League. They played at the Berrien County Youth Fair, the Grape Festival at Paw Paw, Band Day at the University of Michigan, Berrien County Teacher's Institute. They put on a demonstration for the Service Club, gave their annual Band Bounce, and marched in the Memorial Day Parade.

The Band got a "I" rating in the Fall Marching Festival. They received a "I" rating in the District Band and Orchestra Contest that made them eligible for state competition. Fifty members entered the district solo and ensemble contest held at Niles, fifteen of them receiving "I" ratings and played in the state contest at East Lansing.

Row 4: Margaret Amon, Jack Rhodes, Jack Kubiak, Carol Carlson, Marilyn Wenzel, Gloria Eisen, Claire McKee, Dick Marquardt, Erick Starnel

Row 3: Jim Hoskins, Suzanne McKee, Esther Parker, Joyce Walters, Nancy McCartney, Ida Mae Baker, Don Grafford, Ronnie Michael, Mr. Warrington

Row 2: Janet Green, David Wood, Norma Coles, Leona Dicherson, Mary Jo Fenton, Jean Johnson, Douglas Wise, Phyllis Noggle

Row 1: Jack Keller, David Rhodes, Judy Green, Carol Jaeger, Joyce Johnson, Suzanne Gebby, Nancy Schott, Juliana Jaroch, Gloria Johnson

ORCHESTRA

The orchestra has improved a great deal this year under Mr. Warrington's able direction. They meet five days a week during the sixth hour and sometimes have extra practice sessions outside of school time.

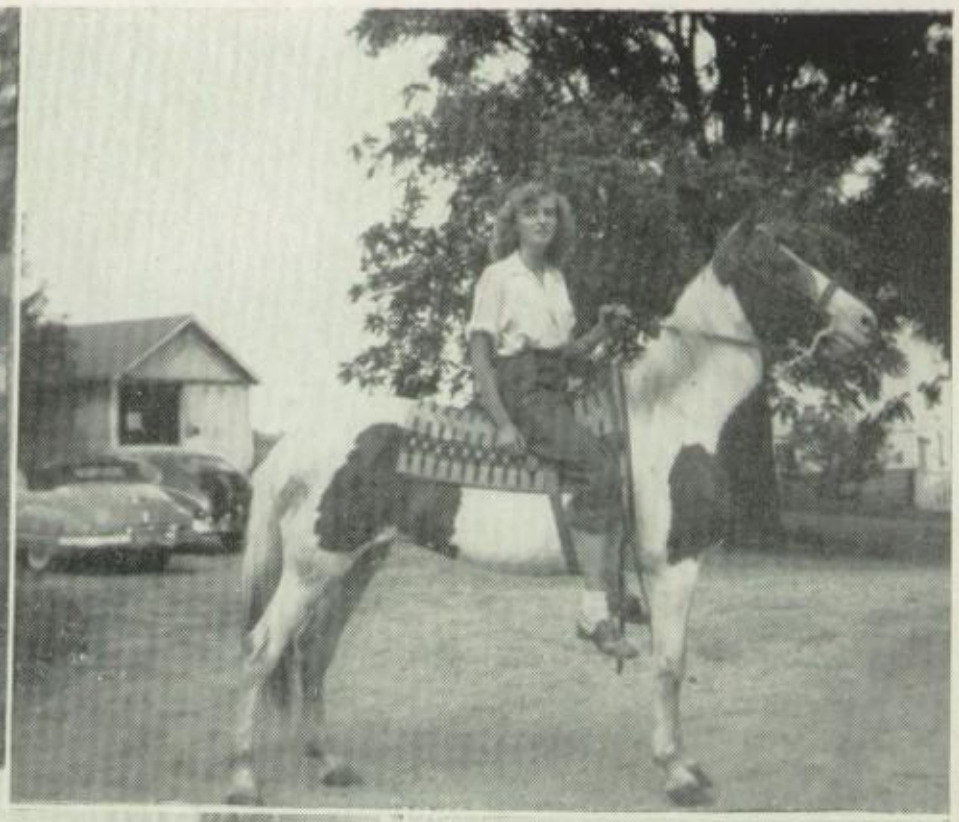
The orchestra played for both the Junior and Senior Plays. They played in the League Concerts and the Band Bounce. The orchestra also participated in several auditorium programs. They received a two rating in the District Contest. Some of the members entered the district solo and ensemble contest. Those receiving ratings of one entered the state contest at East Lansing.

TATTLER STAFF

Row 1 —
MARY CARY YOUNG, Editor-in-chief; PHYLLIS HESS, Associate Editor; MARJORIE HEBERLE, Senior Editor; JEAN HART, Picture Editor; ANN ULLERY, Literary Editor.

Row 2 —
ANN WEAVER, Music Editor; JAMES REYNIERS, Sports Writer; BILL SHANNON, Sports Writer; BOB CASHBAUGH, Feature Editor; DUANE MAYHEW, Junior High Editor.

Rows 3 and 4 —
BILL FENTON, Staff Artist; ETHEL JAMIESON, Copy Writer; JOHN SCAMEHORN, Business Manager; CLAIRE McKEE, Associate Business Manager; Advertising Agents: PHYLLIS NOGGLE, VIRGINIA SMALLEY, MARILYN LARSON, DONALD GRAFFORD, GLORIA EISEN.



PRODUCTIONS

JUNIOR PLAY

YEARS AGO, a play written by Ruth Gordon, was presented November 18 and 19 by a selected cast from the Junior Class. The play was a three act comedy involving the problem created by a daughter's ambition to become an actress. Controversy arose within the circle of her family and friends as to whether such a career would be proper for a girl in the early twentieth century.

Marilyn Larson played the role of Ruth who wanted to become an actress; her father, James Wieghart, disliked the idea; the mother, Phyllis Noggle, was shocked by the idea, but changed her mind; Ronald Dunham, Ruth's fiance, opposed anything but marriage; Mary Farmer, Joyce Vandenburg, Gay Mason, Steve Styers, and Sidney Howes completed the cast.

Bob Watts
'52

Fuzzy
Spartans
'52

VARIETY SHOW

On February 23 and 24 the Choir and Glee Clubs, under the direction of Mr. George Flora, presented the 1950 version of the Variety Show.

The fantasy, a highlight of the program, featured songs from the smash hit "South Pacific." The first of the three scenes was set in a music store, the second aboard a ship, and the last on the island of Bali Hai. Special lighting effects, colorful costumes, and unusual dance steps were used throughout the show. A few of the songs were "Bali Hai," "This Nearly Was Mine," "Some Enchanted Evening," and "A Cockeyed Optimist."

The first half of the program consisted of speciality acts and skits, concerning a traveling salesman, four mop ladies, and a young woman learning to drive. Mrs. Alma Hosler directed the Junior High chorus. Student managers were Ann Weaver and James Burnham.

GYM SHOW

The Thirty-First Annual Gym Show directed by the Physical Education Department of the Niles Public Schools was presented March 23 and 24 in the high school gymnasium. This show has become a tradition in Niles High School, providing a chance for all students to exhibit their athletic skill or other acting abilities.

The program included folk dancing, relays, ball drills, tumbling, comedy acts, and others. As in previous years the Senior girls marched and the Senior boys did calisthenics.

On student night the highlight of the program was the Junior-Senior Competition. At the close of the contests planned for the competition the score was tied 11-11. It was necessary, therefore, to include another contest to break the tie. The Juniors were successful with a final score of 13-11.

BAND BOUNCE

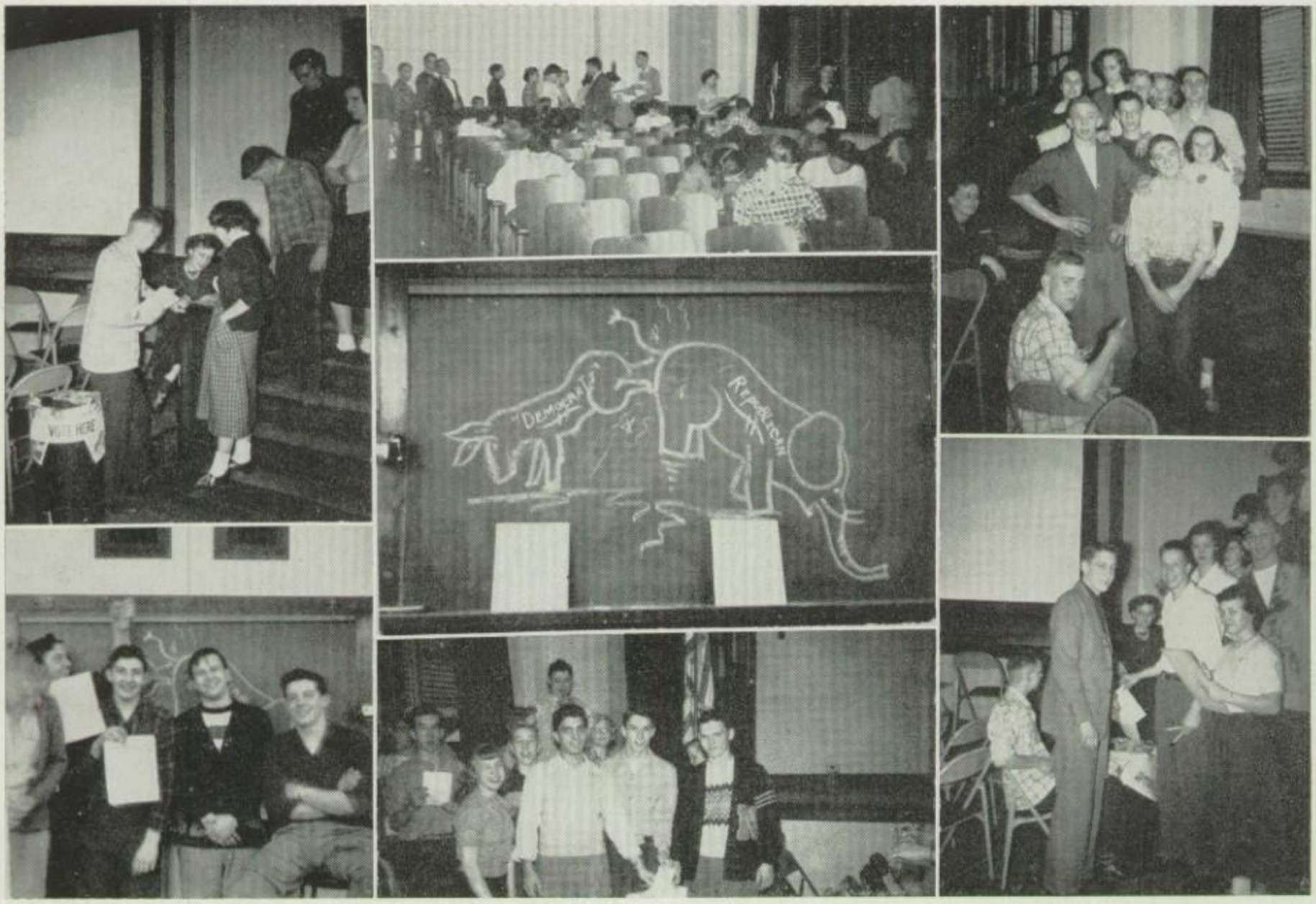
When the TATTLER went to press all plans for the Band Bounce to be held May 18 and 19, had not been completed. The theme of the twenty-fifth annual performance was to be centered around the silver anniversary. The program was planned by members of the band, the two managers, Barbara Nason and Howard Davis, and Mr. Correll and was to include the informal concert, solos by advanced members of the group, and skits. Then, too, Mr. Mathews, a former director of the Niles High School Band, was to conduct the group in a musical number. As in previous years the climax of the performance on student night was to be the crowning of the melody queen by Mr. Whitwam. She would then reign over the program.

SENIOR PLAY

CAST

Mr. Kimber	John Ames
Newton Fuller	Graham Morden
Annabelle Fuller	Millie Hickerson
Madge Fuller	Ruth Olinghouse
Steve Eldridge	Tom Tyler
Katie	Louise Osos
Mrs. Douglas	Darlene Hathaway
Clayton Evans	Carroll Elledge
Rena Leslie	Nancy Ward
Hester	Sue Turner
Raymond	Dick Pfeil
Uncle Stanley	O. J. Brubaker

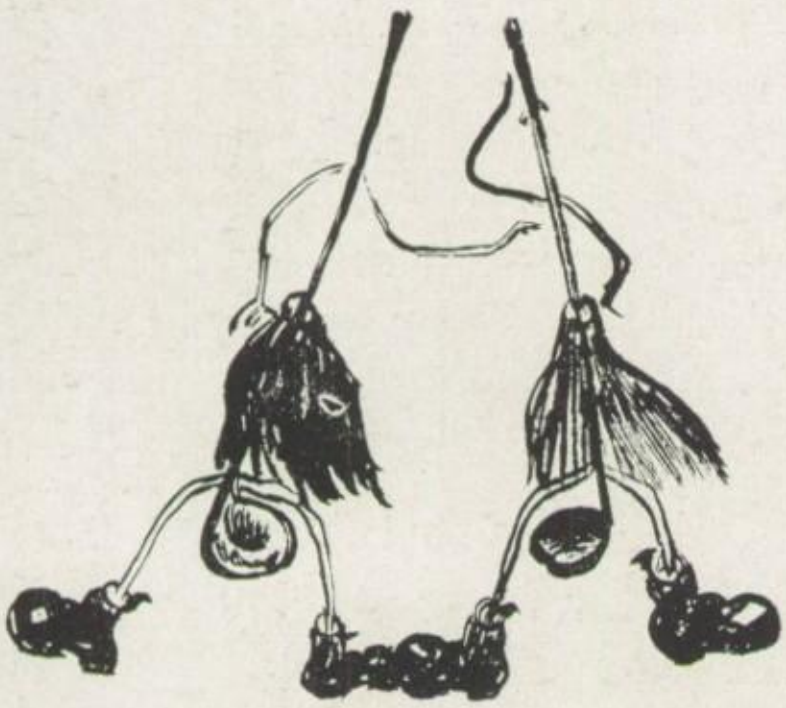
The 1950 senior play, to be given April 27 and 28 was still in rehearsal stages when the Tattler went to press and promised to be one of the best. The play selected was GEORGE WASHINGTON SLEPT HERE by Moss Hart and George Kaufman. The plot concerned a young husband who bought an old, dilapidated house without his wife's consent. Of course, she was quite upset about the whole affair, but decided to make the best of the situation. After a great deal of hard work, the husband and wife transformed the old establishment into a beautiful home. Both become strongly attached to it. Through some misunderstanding they nearly lost the product of their many hours of labor, but everything ended happily.

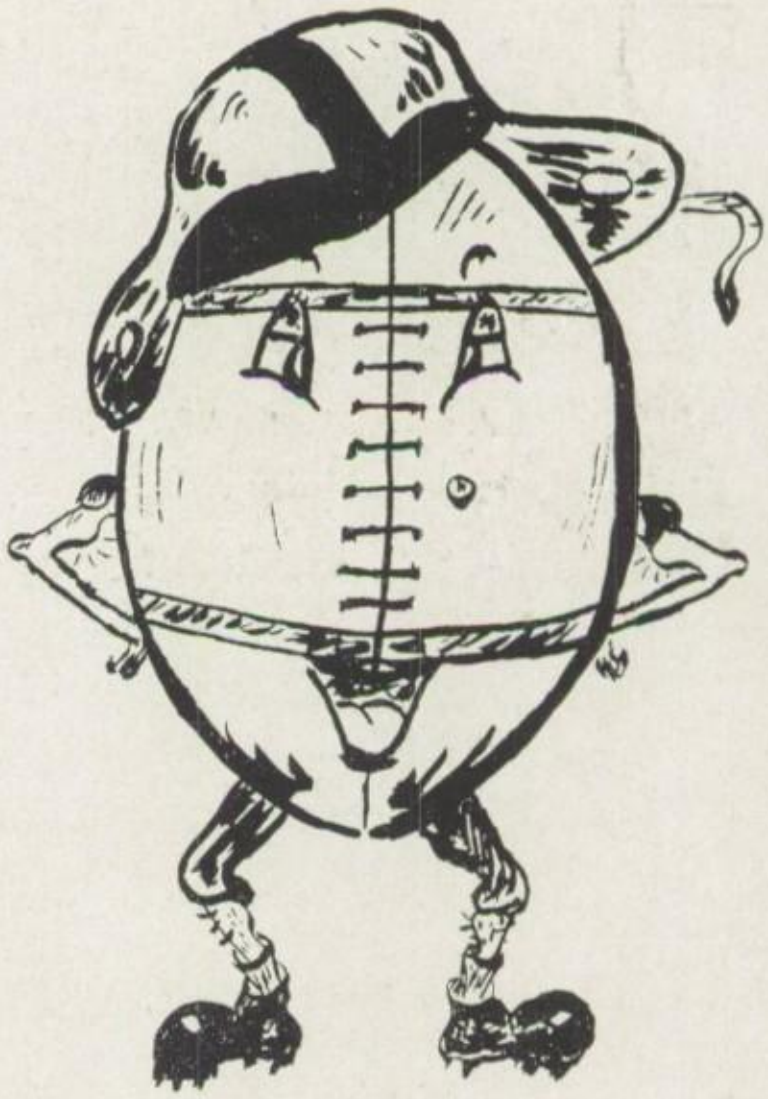


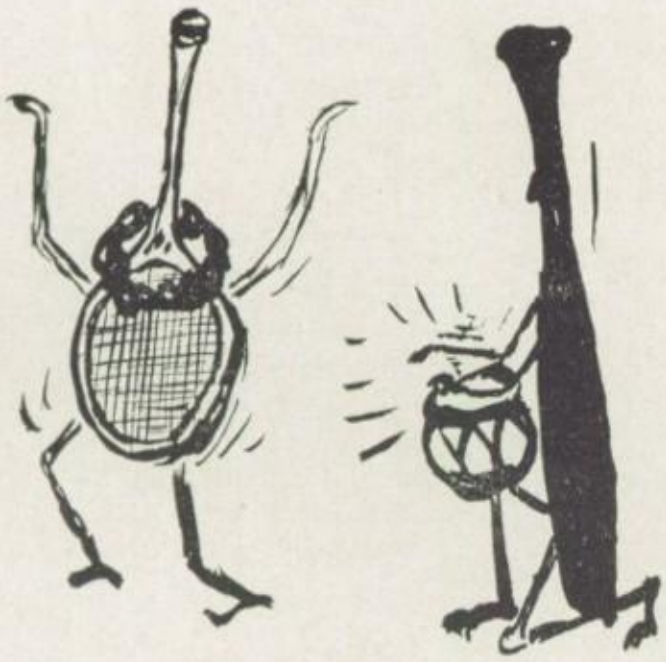
ELECTION DAY

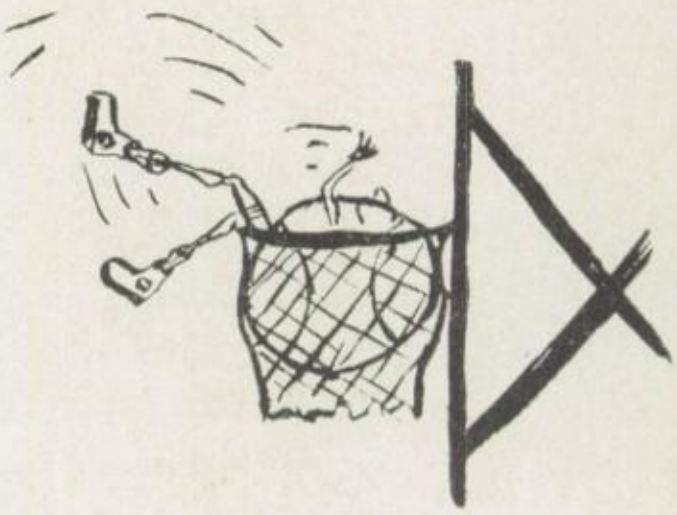
WINNING DEMOCRATS	POSITION	LOSING REPUBLICANS
Edward Foster	Mayor	Tom Tyler
Donna Fay	Clerk	Jim Hall
Jim Burnham	Treasurer	Phil Marizita
Nancy Ward	Supervisor	Bill Shannon
Ann Mullin	Supervisor	Bob Smith
Sue Turner	Supervisor	Mary Young
Lila Schrader	Supervisor	Ann Weaver
Bob Cashbaugh	Alderman	Marilyn Larson
Jim Chrzan	Alderman	George Garns
Paula Wellingham	Alderman	Elwood Bercompass
Joe Crocker	Alderman	Marie Seifert
Malburne Williams	Alderman	Jackie Richards
Norma Carpenter	Alderman	Steve Styers
Skip Morris	Alderman	Ann Ullrey
Connie Brown	Alderman	Sid Howes
Larry Sholtey	Constable	John Baumgartner
Erwin Cross	Constable	Barb Nason
Mac McCormick	Constable	Claire McKee
Dick Richter	Constable	H. C. Davis, Jr.
John Dickey	Justice of the Peace	John Scamehorn
Cliff Crocker	Justice of the Peace	Dick Pfiel

SPORTS









FOOTBALL SEASON

From Rags to Riches. From the bottom of the Conference to the top in one year. That is the success story of this year's varsity football team.

Our success story began early in September. Under the able guidance of a new coach, Al Lewis, and his assistants, Coach Theus and Coach McAlvy, the team started practicing for the opening game.

Results of this hard work showed forth in the opening game. Niles rolled over South Bend Central Catholic 27-0 breaking a thirteen game losing streak at the same time.

A week later the Vikings beat South Haven, 13-0 in the first conference game of the season, and thus ended a two year conference losing streak.

South Bend Catholic was easily disposed of the following week by a 20-0 score.

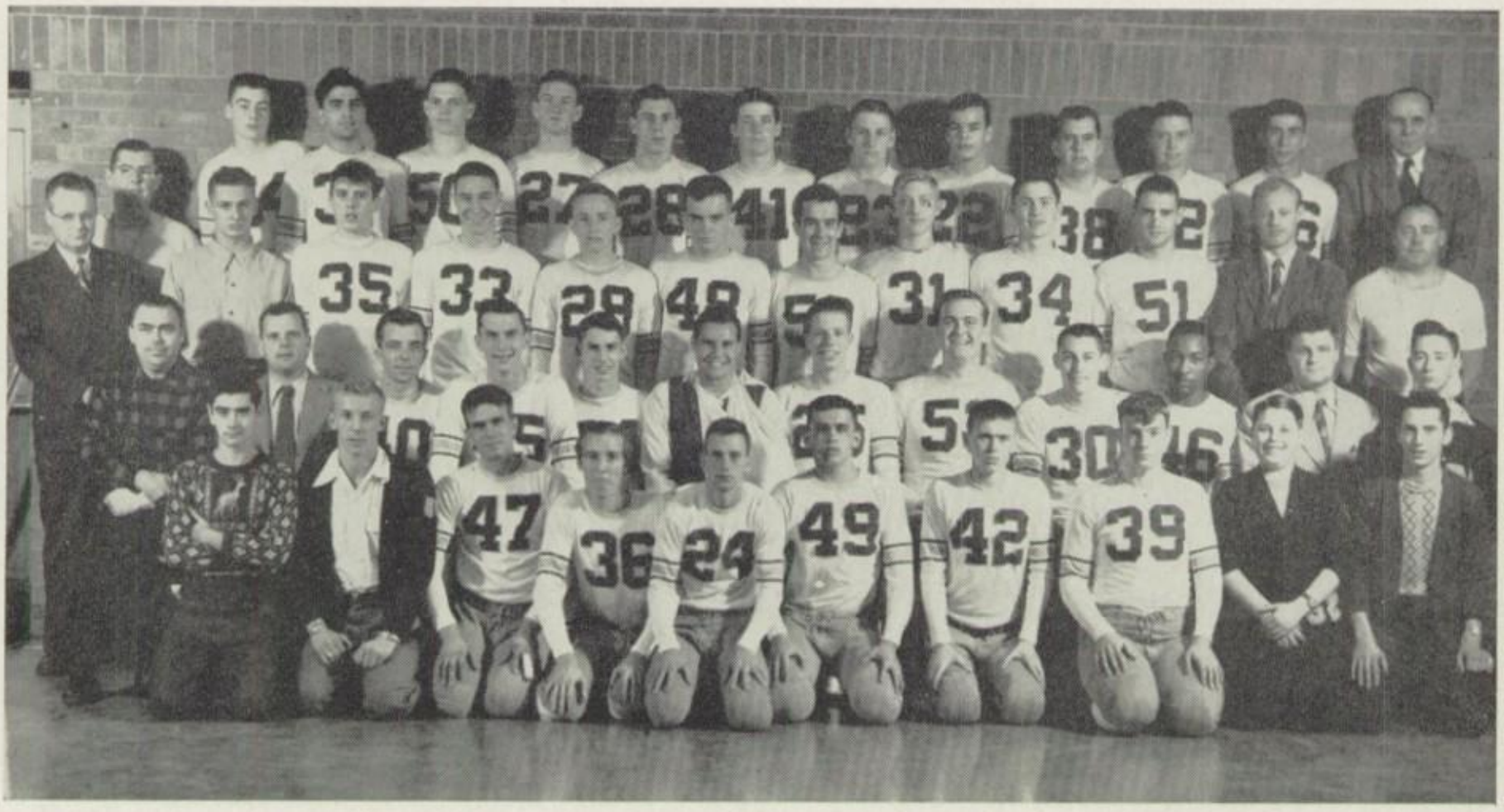
Then came the night of the big game. Buchanan, traditional rival, undefeated in sixteen straight games, defending conference champion was our opponent. The Vikings were not awed by their opponent, however, for they fought Buchanan to a 7-7 deadlock before a record crowd of 5,500 in Buchanan.

A week later the team smothered St. Joseph under a 32-6 score.

Then Niles suffered a let down. Against a poorly rated but highly inspired Dowagiac team, Niles was colder than ice, and, as a result lost 12-6.

But this let down didn't last long. Niles bounced back the following week and slaughtered State High 47-0. The Vikings followed this up by trouncing Three Rivers 26-14 and thereby pocketed a share in the Conference Championship and established the most successful season in their history.

On November 30 at the Four Flags Hotel members of the team were honored at the annual banquet given by the exchange club. Forest Evashevski, backfield coach at WSC was the principal speaker. This banquet was a fitting climax to a successful season.



Back Row: Coach Bender, Pat Neesely, Phil Marazita, James Hall, Les Miller, John Riley, John Armstrong, Ronald Pingle, Jack Dorn, Kendall Kirk, Bob Lowe, Dick Martin, Prin. Zabel.

Third Row: Supt. Max Smith, Jim Bowers, Bob Wolters, Tom Crocker, Ronald Dunham, Bill Baxter, Ed Butts, Bill Hayes, Bill Jones, Jim Burnham, Coach McAlvey, Coach Anderson.

Second Row: Coach Whitwam, Coach Lewis, John Dickey, Jim Chrzan, Tom Tyler, Herman Potakar, Ed Foster, Larry Sholtey, Tom Riedenbaugh, Bill Wortham, Coach Theus, Dick Brown (Mgr.)

First Row: Mike Nykos (Mgr.), Dick Richter (Mgr.), Don Schoff, Bob Fuller, Don Lynn, Jerry LaMonica, Jack Zimmer, Bob Thompson, Phil Parker, (Mgr.), Dick Cretol (Mgr.)

VARSITY FOOTBALL

VARSITY SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Place	Niles	Opp.
Oct. 16	South Bend Central Catholic	Here	27	0
Oct. 23	South Haven (C)	Here	13	0
Oct. 30	South Bend Catholic	Here	20	0
Nov. 7	Buchanan (C)	There	7	7
Nov. 14	St. Joseph (C)	Here	32	6
Nov. 21	Dowagiac (C)	There	6	12
Nov. 28	State High (C)	Here	47	0
Dec. 4	Three Rivers (C)	There	26	14

(C) Denotes Conference Games.

BIG SEVEN CONFERENCE STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
Niles	4	1	1	.750
Buchanan	4	1	1	.750
Three Rivers	4	2	0	.667
Dowagiac	4	2	0	.667
St. Joseph	3	3	0	.500
South Haven	0	5	1	.000
State High	0	5	1	.000

SECOND TEAM FOOTBALL

The second squad was very much responsible for the great showing of the first team by pushing the regulars hard. The second squad shows promise in its three victories in six games by outscoring the opposition 65 to 44. More important than the scores, however, is the fact that Coach McAlvy developed many promising players on the Junior varsity. Niles' success in football next year will depend greatly upon the players drawn from this year's second team.

SECOND TEAM SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Place	Niles	Opp.
Oct. 23	Edwardsburg Varsity	Here	0	6
Nov. 4	Buchanan	Here	6	0
Nov. 13	St. Joseph	There	6	7
Nov. 22	Dowagiac	Here	40	0
Nov. 27	Elkhart	There	0	25
Nov. 31	Three Rivers	Here	13	6

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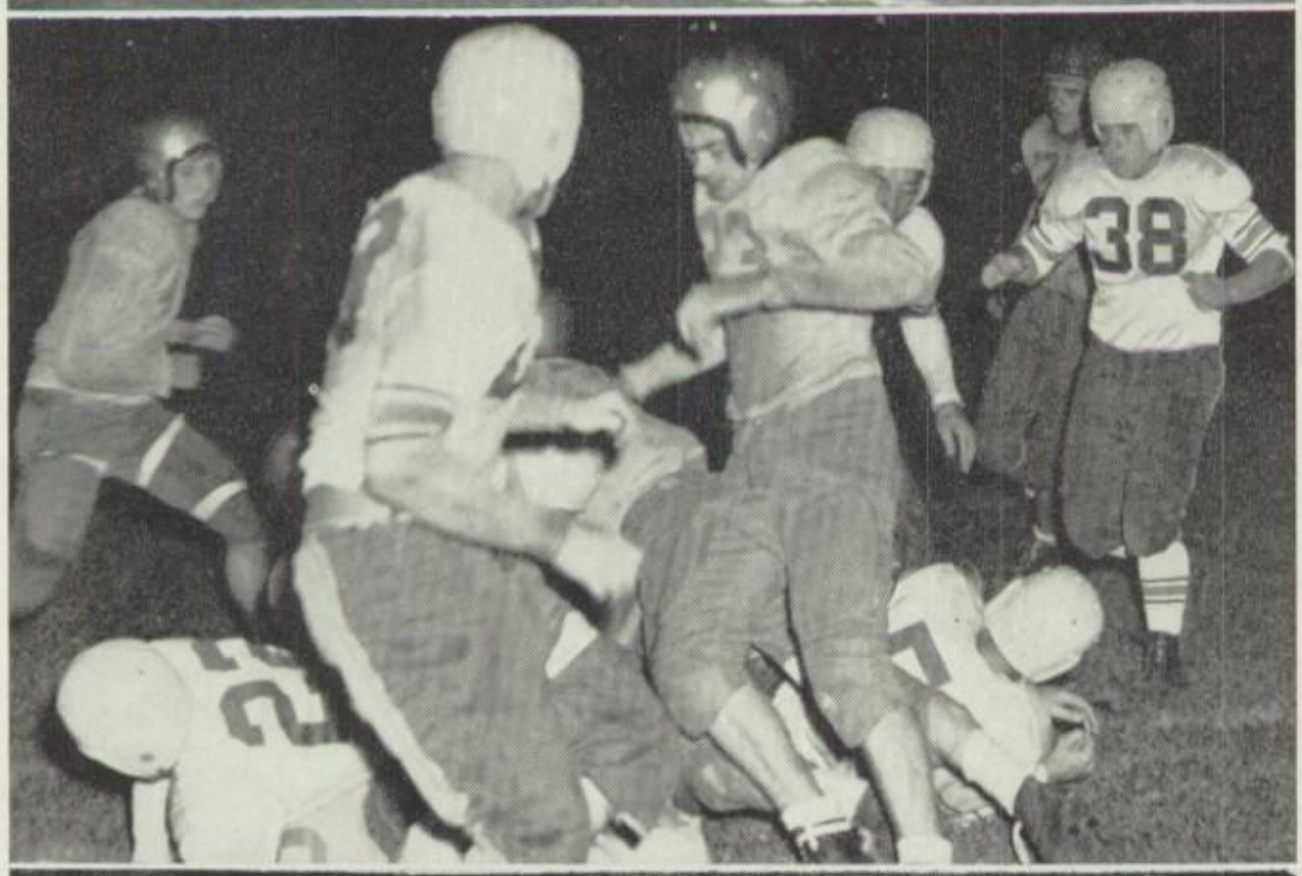
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CROSS COUNTRY--

STATE CHAMPIONS!

This year's Cross Country team gave Niles High School its best Cross Country season in history. Not only did the Viking Harriers meet success in their dual and invitational meets, but they also swept all opposition in the state meet to take possession of the coveted State Championship.

Although the Viking Harriers lost their first meet by a close score to strong Mishawauka, they quickly rebounded to top seventeen schools in the Hastings Invitational meet.

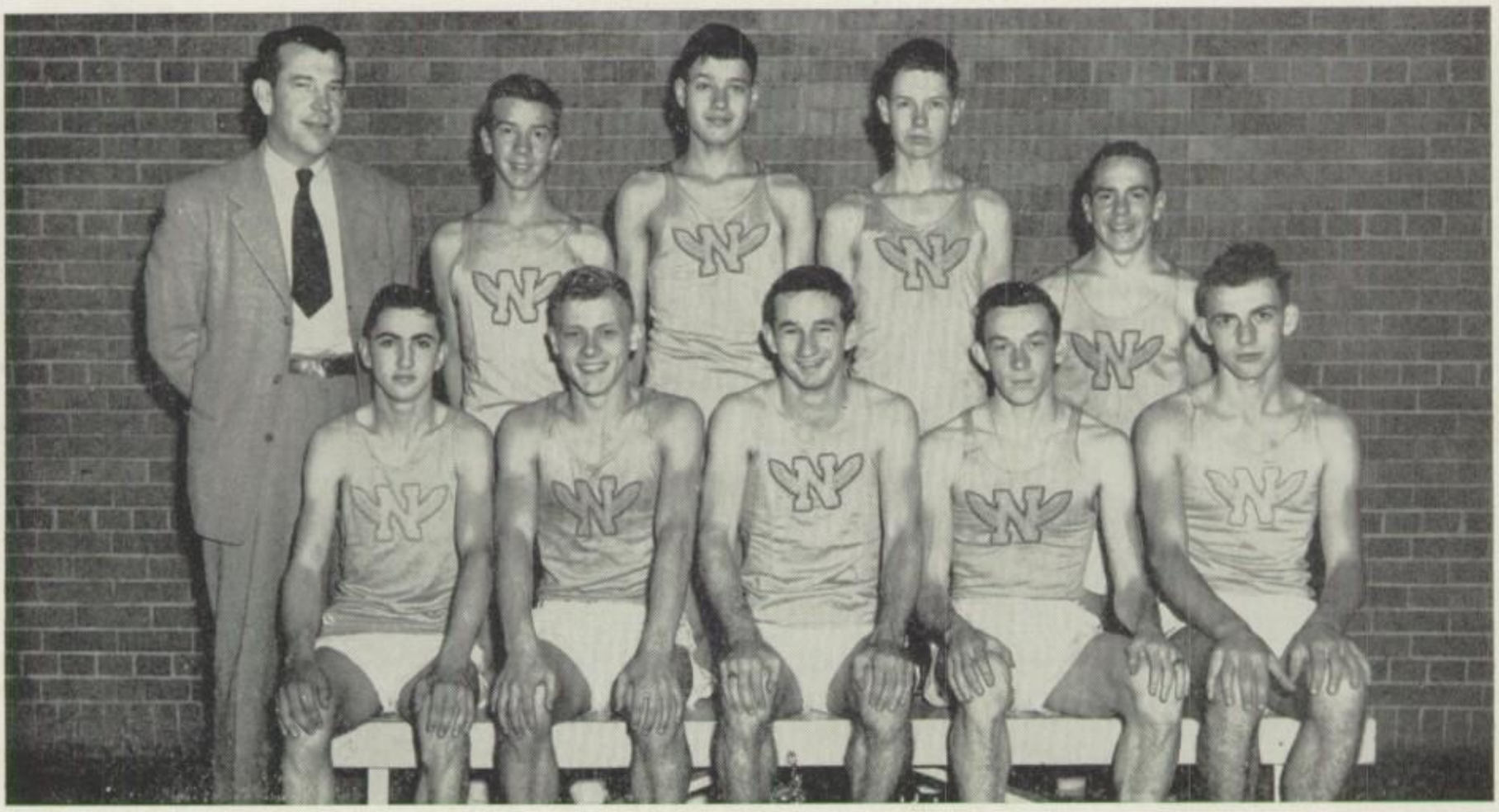
The Harriers kept gaining momentum as they defeated Benton Harbor, Kalamazoo Central, and Elkhart.

At the Aquinas Invitational the Vikings showed definite superiority. Niles scored an exceptionally low twenty-two points to top nine other schools in this invitational meet.

The Vikings did a repeat performance as they ran away with the state meet to put a fitting climax on this successful season.

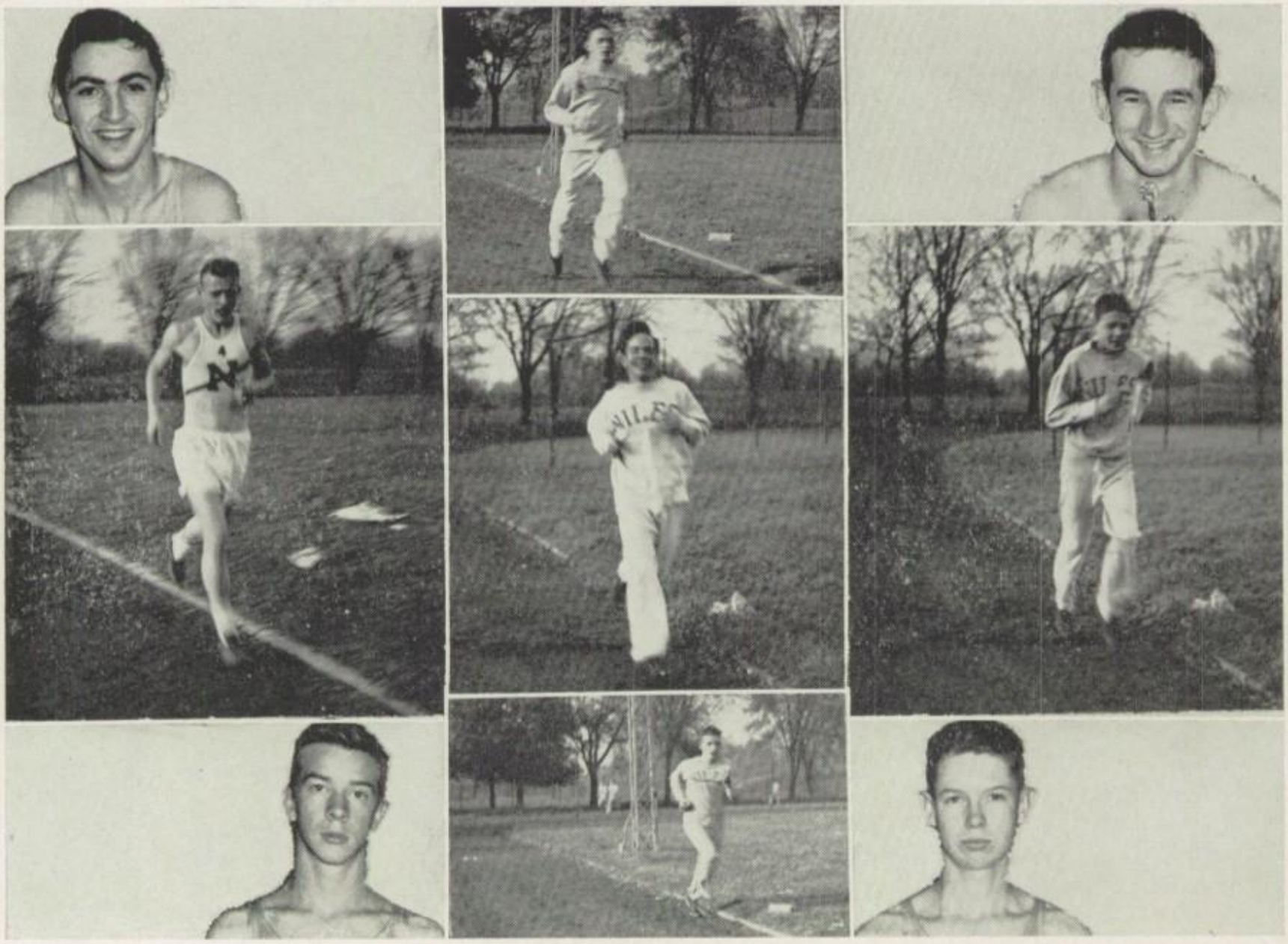
SCHEDULE—CROSS COUNTRY 1949

Date	Opposition and Place	Niles Score	Opp. Score
Sept. 2	Mishawauka	31½	24½
Oct. 1	At Hastings Invitational		
	1st Niles	38	
	2nd Charlotte		68
	3rd Ithica		71
	17 Other Schools		
Oct. 4	At Benton Harbor	15	45
Oct. 7	At Kalamazoo Central	23½	33½
Oct. 11	At Elkhart	19	36
Oct. 18	Benton Harbor	15	45
Oct. 22	At Albion Invitational		
	1st Niles	57	
	2nd Mt. Pleasant		111
	3rd Lansing Everett		119
Oct. 29	At Aquinas Invitational		
	1st Niles	22	
	2nd Fremont		40
	3rd Zeeland		79
Nov. —	At State Meet		
	1st Niles	—	
	2nd		—
	3rd		—



Back Row: Coach Hatcher, Marion Fuller, Skip Morris, Laudner Phillips, Leonard Waugh.
First Row: Joe Gessinger, Bob Smith, Bob Cashbaugh, Jim Pollack, Mal Williams.

CROSS COUNTRY--1949



BASKETBALL

This year's varsity basketball team kept the tradition of recent years alive by another successful season. Not only did the Viking cagers win all except three games, not only did they set new conference scoring records, but they also won the Big Seven Conference Championship.

The Vikings started out on the right foot, so to speak, in taking their opener from Michigan City St. Mary's by a 50-37 score.

Moving into conference play, the Vikings next beat Three Rivers, 54-45. The cagers followed this victory up by dumping State High 38-30, and South Haven 53-41.

Against their next opponent, South Bend Washington, the Vikings did not fare so well. Niles was held to their lowest score of the season in losing to Washington, 27-39.

The cagers, anxious to make up for lost ground, snapped back the following week, and held traditional rival, St. Joseph, on the short end of a 45-39 score.

From this point on, the Vikings really became hot. The cagers walloped Dowagiac 65-17, Buchanan 60-52, Fremont 72-27, Three Rivers 75-44, and State High 58-23. To top things off, the Vikings reached a peak in burying South Haven under a record avalanche of 89 points.

The torrid pace continued the following week. In a second meeting with St. Joseph before a jam packed crowd in the St. Joseph gym, the Vikings slaughtered St. Joseph 55-34.

The torrid pace didn't slacken one bit against the next two conference opponents. Dowagiac went down 68-27 and Buchanan followed 79-37. The let down did come, however, against Benton Harbor. In a close game the Vikings came out on the short end of a 33-42 score.

On March 1 the District Tournament was played at St. Joseph. There, Niles played a close game with St. Joseph and lost in one of the most startling upsets of the basketball season.

These last two defeats, however, do not detract from the great feats performed by this year's Viking team. In winning most of their games this year, in setting many new records, and in winning the conference championship, the Vikings of 1949-1950 proved themselves to be one of Niles greatest.

This record is a credit not only to the team itself, but also to the head coach, "Andy" Anderson and his assistants Coaches Theus and Bender. Without the help of these coaches the record might have been far different this year.

One last word should be said about the basketball season. A word of thanks must be said for the players on the reserve team. By winning all except four of their games this season they produced one of the best records a Junior Varsity has ever had. From this record we can predict with assurance that Niles will have a good basketball team in the years to come.

Back Row: Don McCormick, (Mgr.), Bill Sikes (Mgr.), Darnell Barnes, Norman Mead, Bert Posthumus, Dick Fisher, Duane Mayhew (Mgr.), Phil Parker (Mgr.)

Second Row: Coach Bender, Joe Gessinger, Skip Morris, Jim Chrzan, Larry Sholtey, Pat Neesely, Coach Anderson

First Row: Dick Galbreath, Ted Curtiss, Jim Hall, Joe Crocker, Ed Foster, Perry Knoll, Cliff Crocker.

BASKETBALL--VARSITY

VARSITY SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Place	Var. Score Niles	Var. Score Opp.	Res. Score Niles	Res. Score Opp.
Nov. 29	Michigan City St. Mary's	Here	50	37	28	25
Dec. 2	Three Rivers (C)	There	54	45	30	31
Dec. 13	State High (C)	Here	38	30	54	21
Dec. 16	South Haven (C)	There	53	41	42	30
Dec. 20	South Bend Washington	There	27	39	17	23
Jan. 6	St. Joseph (C)	Here	45	39	36	41
Jan. 10	Dowagiac (C)	There	65	17	47	26
Jan. 13	Buchanan (C)	There	60	52	44	20
Jan. 20	Fremont	Here	72	27		
	St. Joseph Catholic Varsity				49	30
Jan. 27	Three Rivers (C)	Here	75	44	43	44
Jan. 31	State High (C)	There	58	23	41	23
Feb. 3	South Haven (C)	Here	89	33	56	23
Feb. 10	St. Joseph (C)	There	55	34	39	53
Feb. 14	Dowagiac (C)	Here	68	27	49	34
Feb. 17	Buchanan (C)	Here	79	37	54	24
Feb. 25	Benton Harbor	There	33	42	22	34
DISTRICT TOURNAMENT:						
Mar. 1	St. Joseph	There	41	43		

(C) Denotes Conference Games.

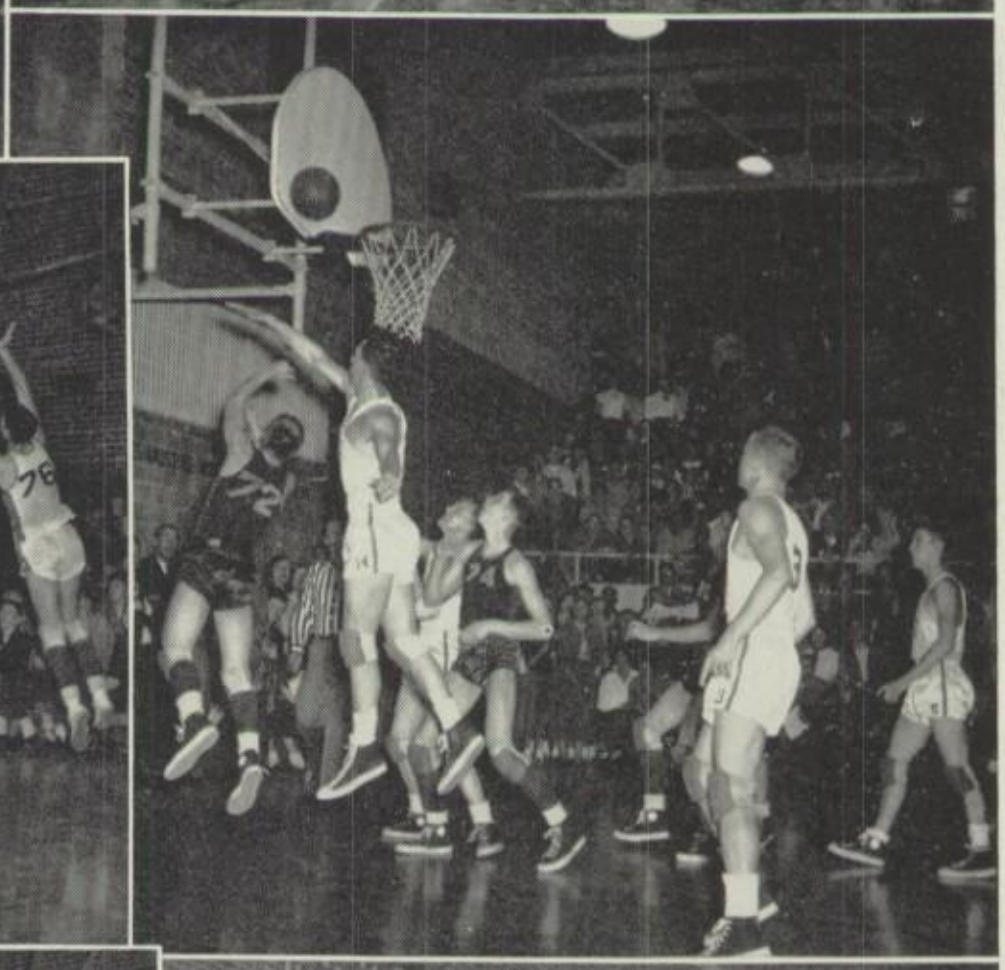
Back Row: Duane Mayhew (Mgr.), Dick Peterson, Ken Freebury, John Armstrong, Tom Bell, Don Grieger, Jerry Adler, Bob Plumb, Jerry Darling, Mr. Bender

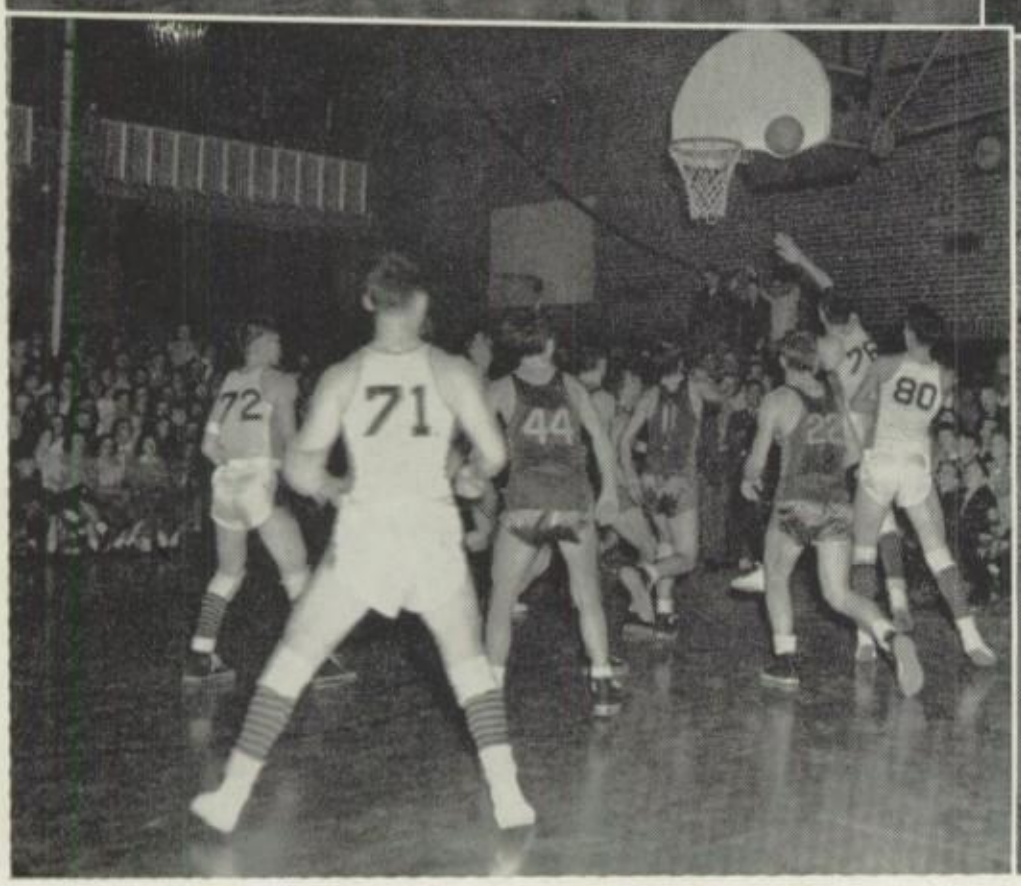
First Row: Phil Marrs, Laxell Davis, Fred Krieger, Tom Crocker, Dale Arnold, Ronald Pingle

BASKETBALL--2ND TEAM

CONFERENCE STANDINGS

Teams	Won	Lost	Pct.	Points	Opp. Points
NILES	12	0	1.000	739	544
St. Joseph	9	3	.750	544	438
Three Rivers	7	5	.583	552	523
South Haven	5	7	.417	510	592
Buchanan	4	8	.333	548	662
State High	3	9	.250	379	465
Dowagiac	2	10	.167	394	610

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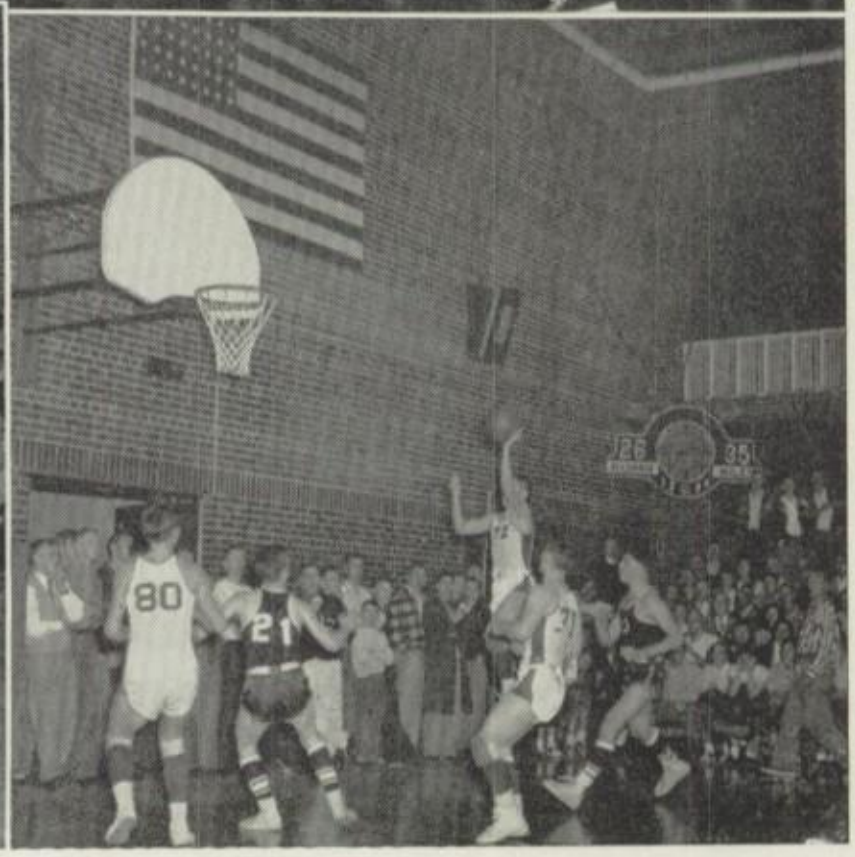
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TRACK--1949

Success is the word we must use in describing the efforts of Niles' 1949 track team. Indeed, the Vikings were successful; for they won all except one of their dual meets, they swept all opposition in their triangular, invitational, conference, and regional meets, and they finished third in the state meet.

The only blot on the Viking's record was the loss of the opening meet to strong Mishawauka. But even in the darkness of defeat there was a bright spot. Smith cracked an eighteen year old school record by running the mile in 4:36.6 minutes.

However, Niles returned to the winning path by smashing Benton Harbor 70½ to 38½. In this meet Niles showed exceptional team balance by outdistancing their opponents both in the field and running events.

Then the cindermen took time out from interschool competition to hold an interclass meet. In this interesting sidelight to the track season, the Juniors ('50) triumphed by amassing 58 points to the Senior's 53½ and the Sophomore's 25.

With the three classes united into one team again, the Vikings next defeated Three Rivers 78½-30½.

In the weeks that followed, Niles gained momentum. The Viking cindermen won three straight triangular meets and then soundly beat Washington Clay.

With these victories in back of them, the Vikings were well prepared for the conference meet. Paced by Berquist, Hemphill and Mau who set new records, Niles won the conference title for the second straight year.

The Vikings then swept through the regionals and followed this up by placing third in the state. Thus ended a successful Track season for Niles. Both the team and Coach Hatcher are to be congratulated for this successful season.

SCHEDULE—TRACK 1949

Date	Opposition and Place	Niles' Score	Opp. Score
April 5	At Mishawauka	34	75
April 8	At Benton Harbor	70½	38¾
April 19	Three Rivers Here	78 1/3	30½
April 23	At Hastings Invitational		
	1st Niles	53	
	2nd Mt. Pleasant		47½
	17 Others		

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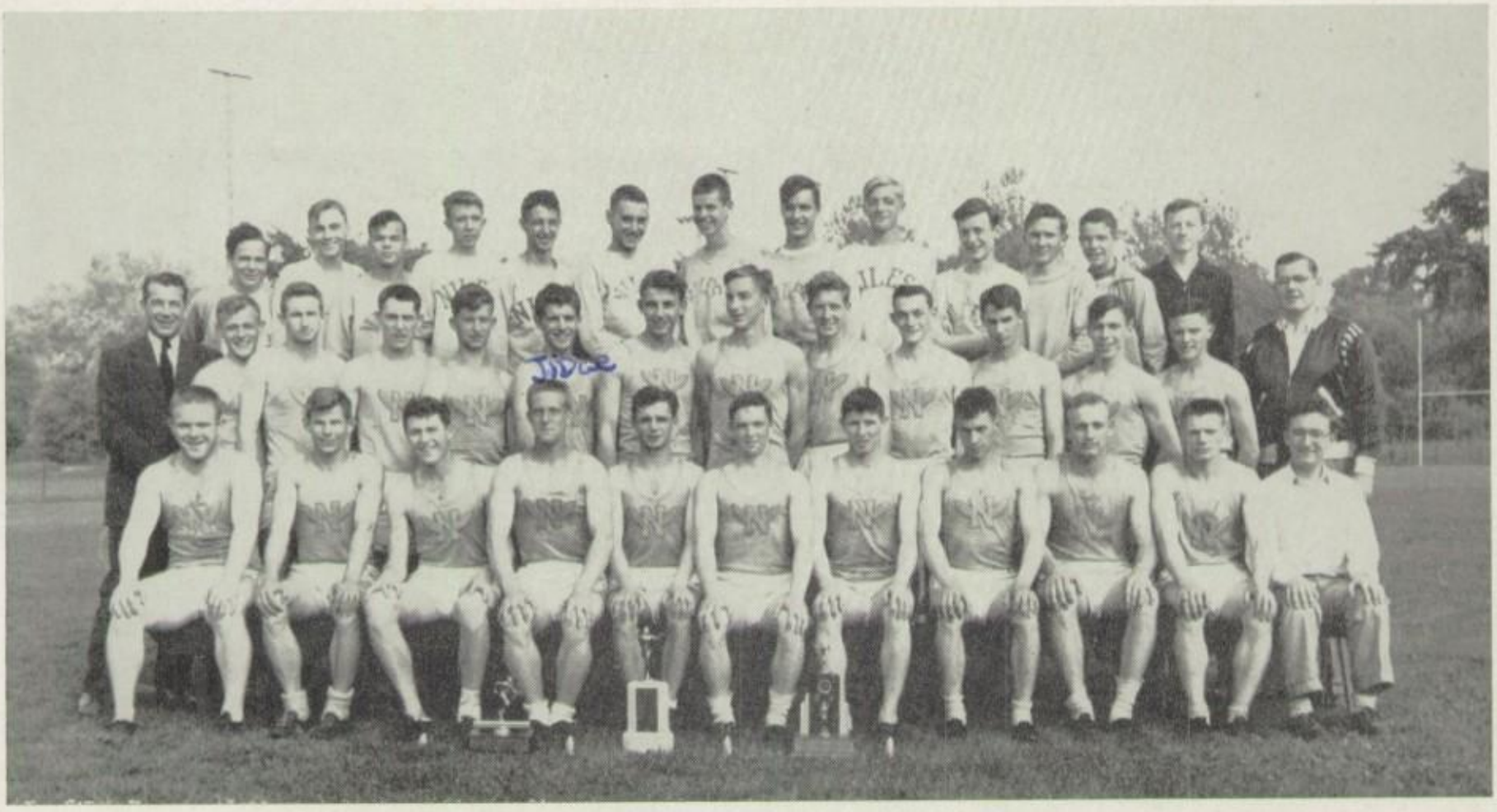


Back Row: Leonard Waugh (Mgr.), Dick Marquartt, Jack Dorn, Dick Fisher, Bill Potter, Jim Burnham, Jerry Knoll, Dale Shepardson, Bill Hayes, George Garnes, Joe Neib, Elwood Berkompas (Mgr.), Sidney Howes (Mgr.)

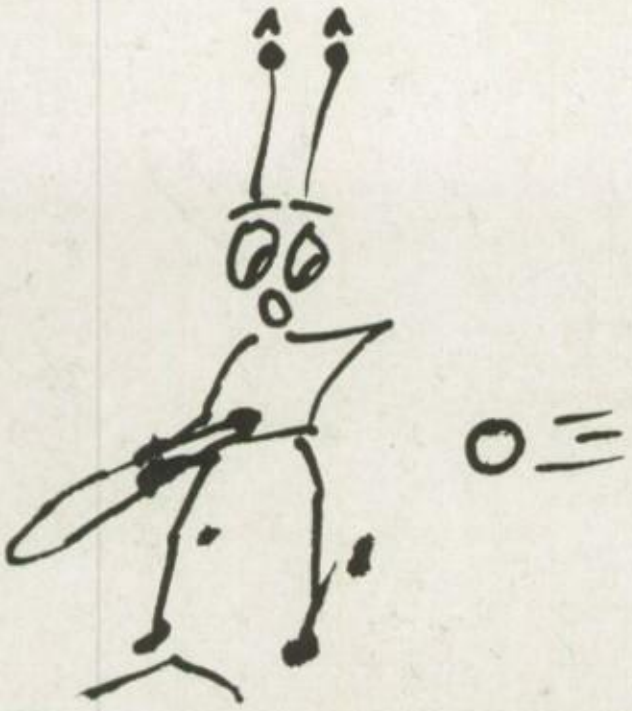
Second Row: Coach Hatcher, Bob Smith, Bob Cashbaugh, Tom Reidenbaugh, Bob Hart, Jerome Wood, Malburne Williams, Robert Hayes, David Berquist, Jim Pollack, Thomas Tyler, John Riley, Bob Lowe, Coach Bender

First Row: Jack Davis, Charles Knoll, Roscoe Coleman, Bob Lamberton, Ted Mau, Paul Graham, Elwood Hemphill, Cliff Poelman, Clayton Walker, Jack Ryder, Wally Eberhard, (Mgr.)

VARSITY TRACK--1949

SCHEDULED—TRACK 1949 (Continued)

Date	Opposition and Place	Niles' Score	Opp. Score
April 26	At Three Rivers (Triangular)		
	1st Niles	67	
	2nd Three Rivers		54½
	3rd Buchanan		19½
April 29	At Dowagiac (Triangular)		
	1st Niles	79	
	2nd Three Rivers		54½
	3rd Dowagiac		19½
May 2	Triangular Meet Here		
	1st Niles	77	
	2nd St. Joseph		31½
	3rd State High		30
May 5	Washington Clay Here	75	34
May 9	Buchanan Here	70	30
May 13	Conference Meet at Kalamazoo		
	1st Niles	68½	
May 21	Regional Meet at Kalamazoo		
	1st Niles	41	
May 28	State Meet at East Lansing		
	3rd Niles	21	



BASEBALL--1949

Under the capable leadership of Coach Hutchins, the baseball team again had a successful season by taking seven and losing four. Three of these victories were conference games, placing Niles second in the conference.

The baseball team started the season off by swamping Washington Clay under an impressive barrage of hitting and pitching. However, the team barely sneaked past Buchanan and Riley, for both of these games were won by only one run.

At this point Niles went into a slump. Only one of the next four games was won. Two of these defeats were conference games.

But the Vikings did not stay in this slump for long. The team hit the comeback trail in edging Dowagiac by one run, by defeating St. Joseph soundly, while losing only one to Benton Harbor.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE—1949

Date	Opposition	Place	Niles' Score	Opp. Score
April 7	Washington Clay	There	11	1
April 12	Buchanan	Here	4	3
April 20	South Bend Riley	Here	2	1
April 26	St. Joseph	There	2	4
April 29	South Haven (C)	Here	3	4
May 3	South Bend Catholic	There	6	4
May 5	Buchanan (C)	There	4	8
May 10	Dowagiac (C)	Here	2	1
May 12	State High (C)	There	7	6
May 18	Benton Hargor	There	1	11
May 20	St. Joseph (C)	Here	6	1
May 24	Dowagiac		14	3

(C) Denotes Conference Games.

1949 BASEBALL CONFERENCE STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Buchanan	4	1	.750
Niles	3	2	.600
South Haven	3	2	.600
State High	3	2	.600
Dowagiac	2	3	.145
St. Joseph	1	4	.100

BASEBALL--1949

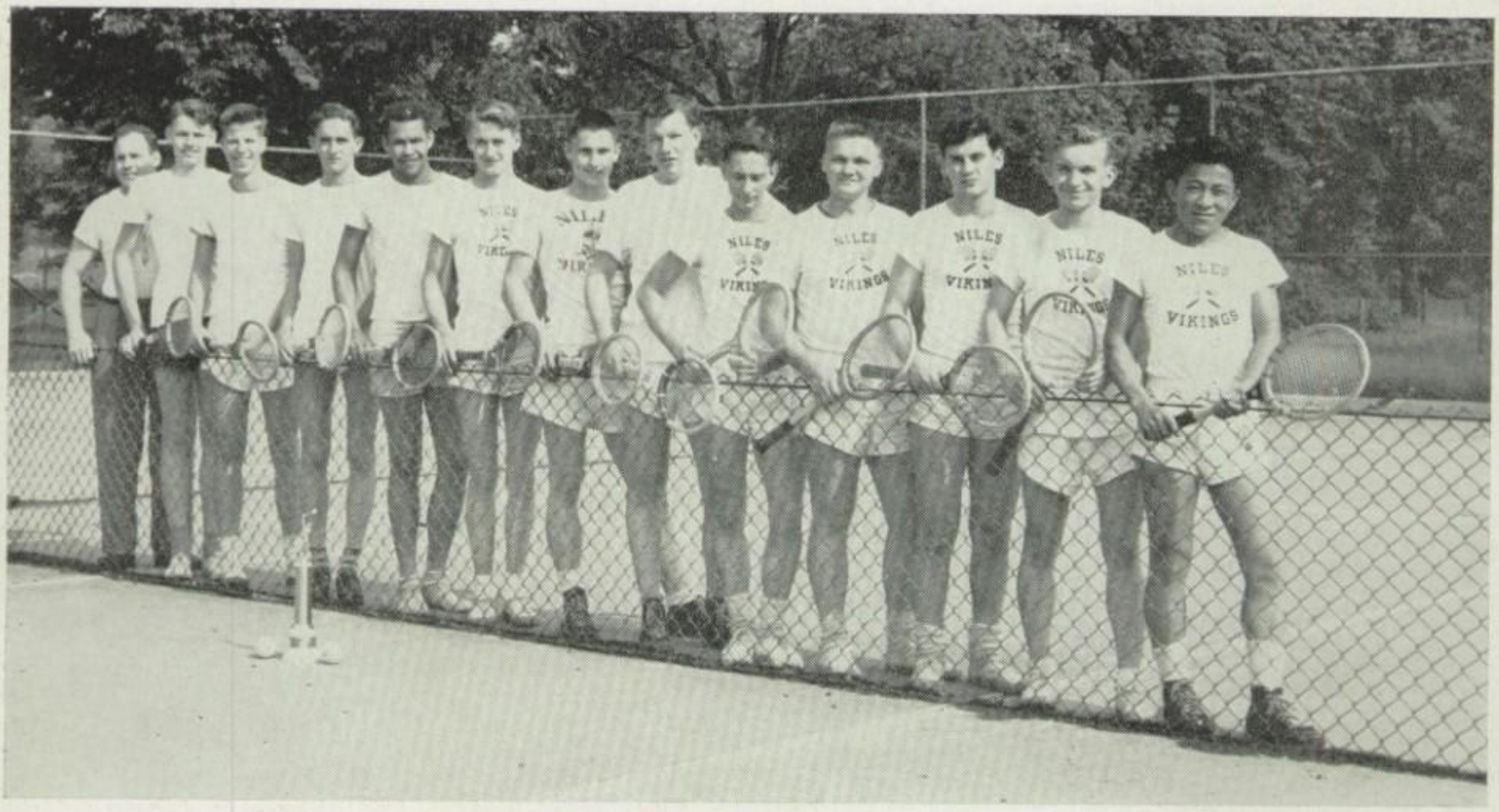
Back Row: Don Carpenter (Mgr.), Don Lynn, John Yelape, Cliff Crocker, Ed Butts, Phil Marrs, (Mgr.)

Second Row: Coach Hutchins, Dick Lundberg, Ronald Dunham, Robert Fuller, Jack Geary, Frank Carothers, Don Clubine, Bill Baurenfiend.

First Row: Bob Grahl, Bob Snooks, Mark Thompson, Jom Hall, Jack Crouch, Harry Huffman, Bob Parker, Jake Bays

GOLF

Left to Right: Howard Davis, John Scamehorn, Jack Herrick, John Walker, Fred Eaton, Jim Reum, Herman Potokar



Left to Right: Coach Anderson, Bert Posthumus, Ed Foster, Claire McKee, Clayton Cannady, Wayne Yost, Bill Jones, Ronald Spansail, Dick Brown, Bill Hilligoss, Jerry Mace, Erwin Cross, Bruce Nishawaki

TENNIS

TENNIS SCHEDULE

DUAL MEETS:

Date	Opponent	Place	Niles	Opponent
April 13	Dowagiac	There	4	3
April 19	Benton Harbor	Here	3	4
April 22	St. Joseph	Here	4	3
April 29	South Haven	Here	8	0
May 3	St. Joseph	There	5	3
May 4	Dowagiac	Here	7	1
May 10	Elkhart	There	7	2
May 11	Benton Harbor	There	3	5

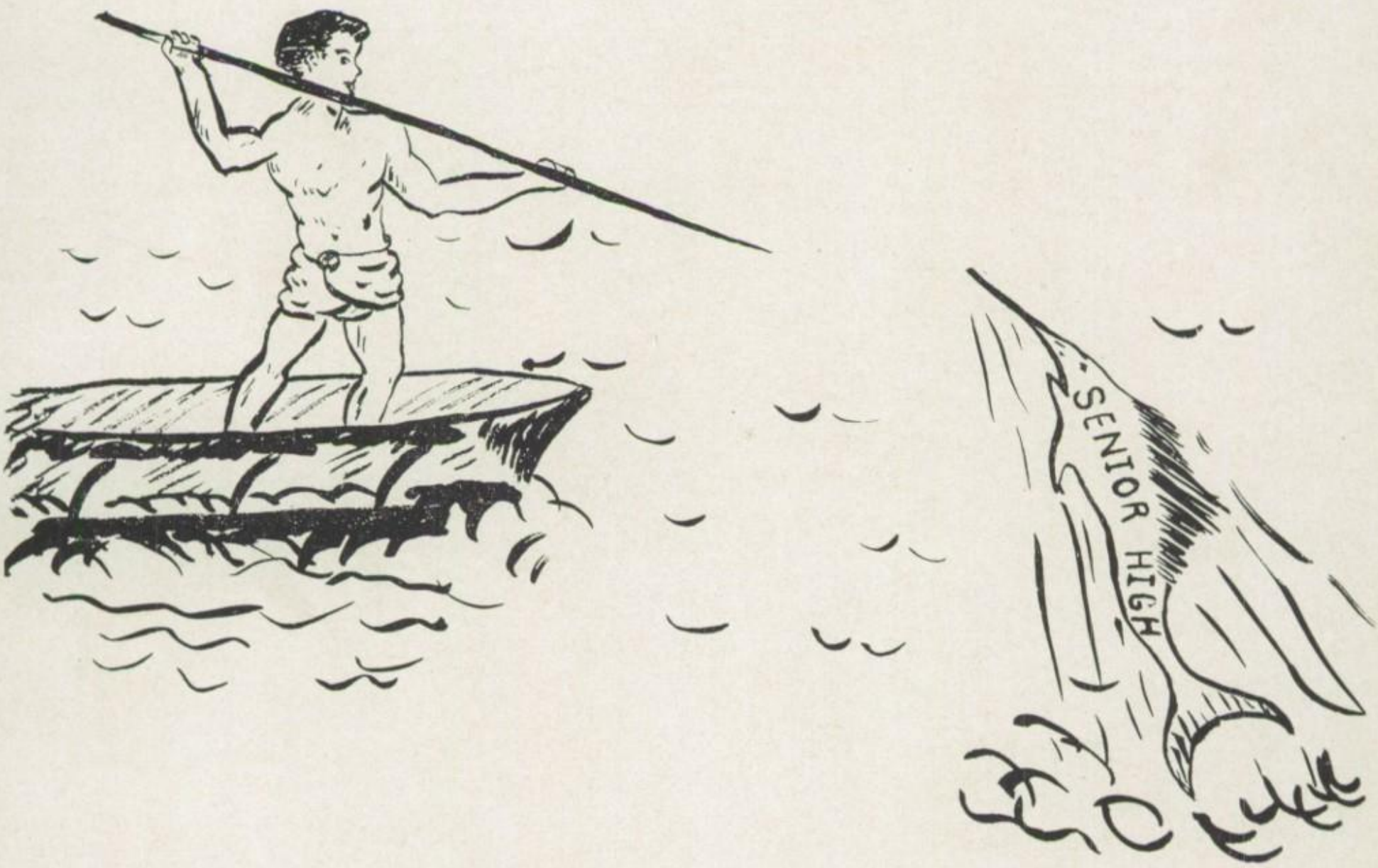
CONFERENCE MEET:

Date	Standings		Points
May 22	1st	State High	18 1/4
	2nd	Niles	4 1/4
	3rd	St. Joseph	4
	4th	South Haven	2 1/2
	5th	Dowagiac	0
		Three Rivers and State High did not participate in meet.	

REGIONAL MEET:

Date	Standings		Points
	1st	Niles	13 1/4
	2nd	St. Joseph	7 3/4
	3rd	Battle Creek Lakeview	7 1/2

JUNIOR HIGH



DON BENDER

JUNIOR HIGH DEDICATION

The Junior high section of the Tattler is proudly dedicated to Mr. Don Bender.

Mr. Bender has been a member of the faculty since the fall of 1947. He is a graduate of Grand Rapids Junior College; University of Michigan, B. S.; and Western Michigan College, A. B. Mr. Bender teaches mathematics and assists in the coaching program. This year he had a successful season as coach of the second team in basketball and the seventh and eighth graders in football.

Mr. Bender's buoyant personality enables him to carry over his enthusiasm by means of "poetry" and fun to assembly programs, teaching, and social contacts.

Good Luck to an old Gang.. -Sue Mimi

NINTH

Lucky Number
Lois Brewer

Lots of Luck & Happiness
Lynn Berquist

Row 1: Robert Albert, Charles Allen, Margaret Amon, George Andrews, Ruby Anglin, Paul Antisdel, Lonnie Applegate, Pat Asmus

Row 2: Beverly Atking, Marjorie Atkinson, Fred Ausmus, Edith Austin, George Babcock, Jane Bair, Tom Baldwin, Jean Barrett

Row 3: Anna Bassett, Barbara Benjamin, Dick Beehler, Lynn Berquist, Jerry Bender, Don Bowerman, Joan Brand, Barbara Brenner

Row 4: Laura Brewer, Jean Brooks, Joan Brooks, Lois Brown, Norma Brown, Fred Burdue, Beverly Burklow, James Burton

Row 5: Marjorie Burton, Shirley Carlson, Lova Christman, Shirley Clark, Bob Clubb, Larry Cochran, Rosemary Cochran, Dorothy Cochrane

Row 6: Virginia Colvin, Barbara Conrad, Dick Conrad, Marilyn Coons, Carl Corwin, Delores Corwin, Eddie Cottrell, Dean Cousins

Row 7: Rosella Coulta, Eugene Crane, Murray Crawford, Ross Creviston, Donna Davis, Jane Dee, Gay Dicerto, Shirley Dickeson

NINTH

Row 1: Donna Ditmar, Evelyn Donahue, Shirley Doubt, Mike Dreher, Lloyd Dummond, Dick Dunham, Shirley Dutton, Beverly Eaton

Row 2: Everett Ecker, Fred Eckler, Ernest Everman, Herman Exner, Rosemary Fletcher, Duane Flint, Eddie Flick, Janice Forbes

Row 3: Alvin Ford, Eddie Ford, Jr., Dennis Fortier, Harry Foster, Sandra Fraser, Edna Frazier, Lois Frazier, Mike Freyer

Row 4: Margery Fries, Anita Frucci, Betty Gwin, John Gersonde, Nancy Gessinger, Virginia Goldfuss, Bob Gordon, Janet Gould

Row 5: Jane Grathwohl, Shirley Grathwohl, Janet Green, Robert Green, Betty Lou Haberling, Bob Hamrich, Alma Hamrick, Gale Harris

Row 6: Vernon Harrell, Evelyn Hancock, Gale Harroff, Kenneth Hartline, LeRoy Hartline, Karl Haviland, Doris Hayes, Kieth Healy

Row 7: Wayne Hentsch, John Herman, Alice Herrmann, Nadine Hilligoss, Bill Hoese, Virgil Hoese, Jean Holstein, Jimmy Hopper

NINTH

Row 1: Jamie Hoover, Jean Jorvath, Dorothy Howard, Joan Howard, John Hyink, Sally Irwin, Russell Imus, Lois Jacobson

Row 2: Barbara Jann, Julianna Jaroch, — — , Betty Jorgenson, , Leanore Johnson, Tom Johnson, Tommy J. Johnson

Row 3: Rose Marie Jones, Lois Kater, Clarence Keen, Ted Knott, Carol Knauf, Eleanor Klatt, Jean Kirkendall, Delores Killarney

Row 4: Julia Krieger, Jack Kubiak, Ted Leasch, Kenny Larson, Robert Leason, Larry Lee, Robert Leggett, Gerald Lewis

Row 5: Yvonne Leighty, Ernest Libey, Earlene Lintz, Carol Lepel, Helen Luth, Sharon Lynd, Laura MacDonald, Dorothy Makepeace

Row 6: Virginia Manthe, Alan Mantke, Ann Marshall, Priscilla Marston, Thomas Martin, Cloyd Mathews, Roger Maxwell, Barbara McDonald

Row 7: Shirley McIntyre, Suzanne McKee, Georgia McLaughlin, Jean McLaughlin, Bill Mead, Tom Meador, Jack Mell, Shirley Messenger

NINTH

Row 1: Jeannette Meyers, Marlene Michalski, Bill Miller, Delores Miller, Howard Miller, Charles Miltenberger, Marilyn Mitchell, Robert Mitchell

Row 2: Donald Monroe, Gregory Morden, Mary Morris, Simon Morris, Jr., Josephine Mudd, Carl Murphy, Virginia Myler, Charles Needham

Row 3: Leah Nieb, Nancy Oliver, Pat Parker, Donald Payne, Neils Peterson, John Petruska, Pat Phillips, Mary Pickens

Row 4: Virginia Pickens, Jane Pifer, Violet Pryor, Ann Ralston, Barbara Ramsby, Gale Ramsby, Beverly Rau, Joan Rector

Row 5: Bill Reed, Robert Reum, Rose Richardson, Cecil Roberts, Marjorie Roberts, Bradley Robertson, Laura Rodgers, Pete Rodgers

Row 6: Gordon Rollert, Kenneth Saathoff, Raymond Sanford, Dick Scamehorn, Ronald Schelkopf, Sharon Schoenradt, Charlene Schoff, Waneta Scoffield

Row 7: Nancy Schott, Pat Schrader, Bob Schweitzer, Karen Selent, Wayne Sheldon, James Shell, Carl Shepard, Fay Shepardson

Good Luck
Kay Shepardson
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Best of luck and happy days
Barbara Shuster
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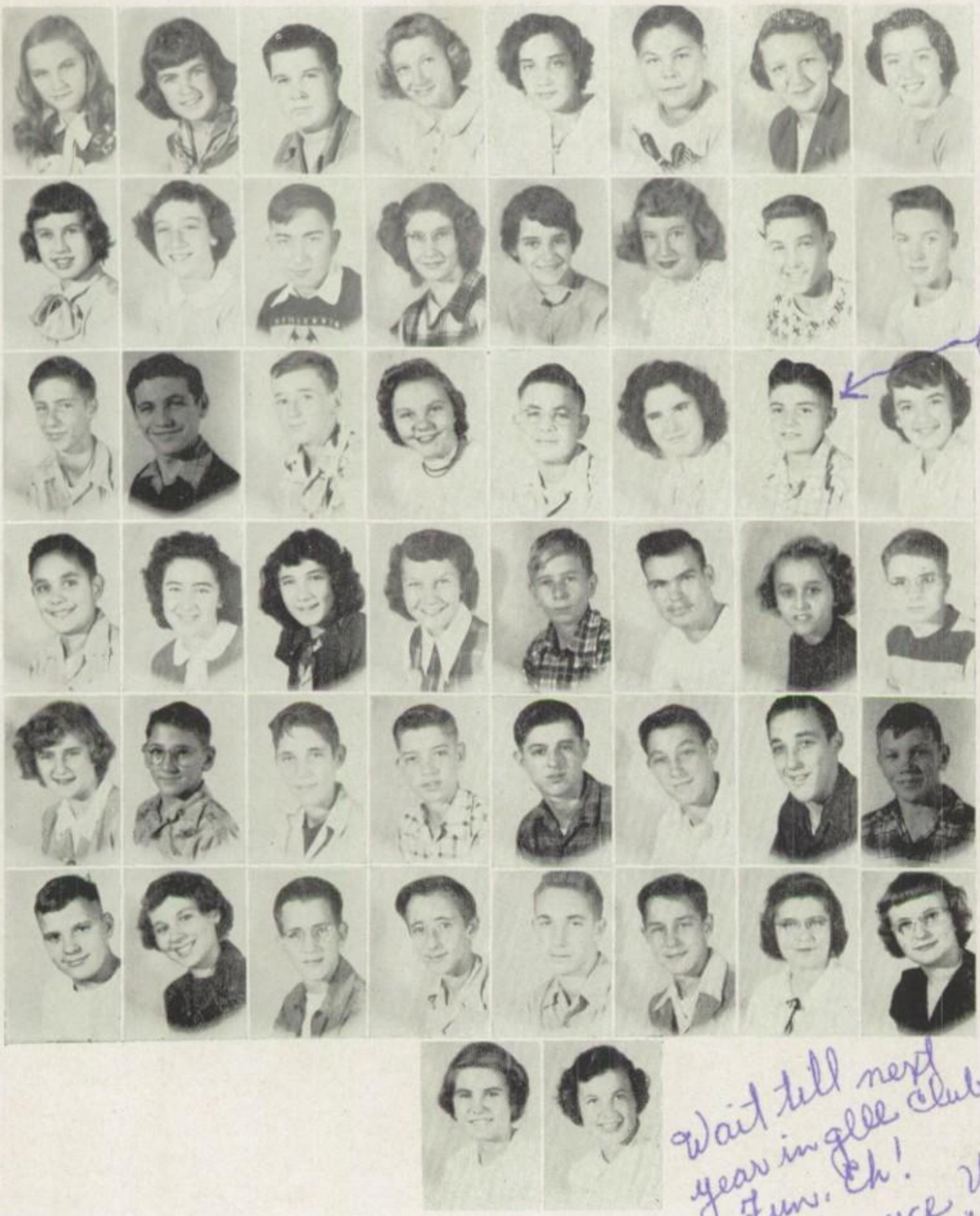

Richard Thomas

NINTH

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Row 1: Kay Shepardson, Marilyn Sheperis, Howard Sherwood, Barbara Shuster, Barbara Slight, Duane Smallidge, Doris Smith, Sandra Smith

Row 2: Susie Smith, Janice Snook, Richard Sobieralski, Nancy Southworth, Norma Spansail, Cleora Spratt, Don Striver, Gary Steeby

Row 3: Jim Stevens, Herbert Stingle, Keith Stone, Delores Stover, Lawrence Talley, Joan Taylor, Dick Thomas, Jadelyn Thomas

Row 4: Ted Toback, Gladys Tucker, Margaret Turnock, June Uselton, Bill Utter, Ray Vandenburg, Shirley Vandenburg, Donald Van Kempen

Row 5: Janet Ban Lue, Donald Vernon, Delwyn Walker, Henry Warda, Richard Webber, Bill Weaver, Bill Webster

Row 6: Tom Wesolowski, Mary Wetzel, Grover Williams, Lionel Williams, Pierce Williams, Douglas Wise, Shirley Wolf, Marion Woor

Row 7: Mary Jo Young, Janyce Ullery

No Picture, Virginia Battcher

EIGHTH

Row 1: Richard Akers, Damon Adams, Jim Anderson, Tom Appel, Pauline Armstrong, Benny Ault, Audrey Austin, Martha Avery

Row 2: Shirley Baird, Reggie Baker, Charles Batson, Rollie Baumgartner, Julane Bick, Marcia Bedinger, Edna Belinke, Donna Belknap

Row 3: Donald Bevilacqua, Richard Binns, Jane Bivins, Peggy Bloomfield, Robert Boltinghouse, Richard Boyer, Oscar Bradbury, Carol Brockway

Row 4: Euna Bremitt, Joyce Bultman, Nancy Burnett, Paul Bybee, Bob Castle, Annie Mae Causey, Elmer Christ, John Clevenger

Row 5: Virginia Coffinger, Norman Colcord, Norma Coles, Phyllis Conner, Marian Corey, Joyce Corwin, Sally Cottrell, Nancy Covey

Row 6: Peggy Crane, Melvin Creek, Josephine Creviston, Ellsworth Cummins, Beverly Daus, Barbara Davis, Joe Davis, Luella Davis

Row 7: Russell Davis, Betty Debas, Donna DeMuth, Shirley DePeel, Dean DePoy, Angeline Dicerto, Betty Dickerson, Pat Dickson

EIGHTH

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Row 2: Gene Elliot, Bob Ellis, Dion Engstrom, David Fedore, Laura Fields, Gwendolyn Fisher, Geraldine Flanagen, Harlene Frantz

Row 3: Joann Fred, Lowell Fred, Jean Freeze, Patsy Fryer, Mary Lou Frucci, Jeanette Fry, Sibilla Gutridge, Gerald Guiles

Row 4: Dorothy Greenhoe, Mary Ann Green, Betty Jean Grant, Leo Grahl, Janet Gonser, Glen Gorman, Noel Gibson, Frank Gentry

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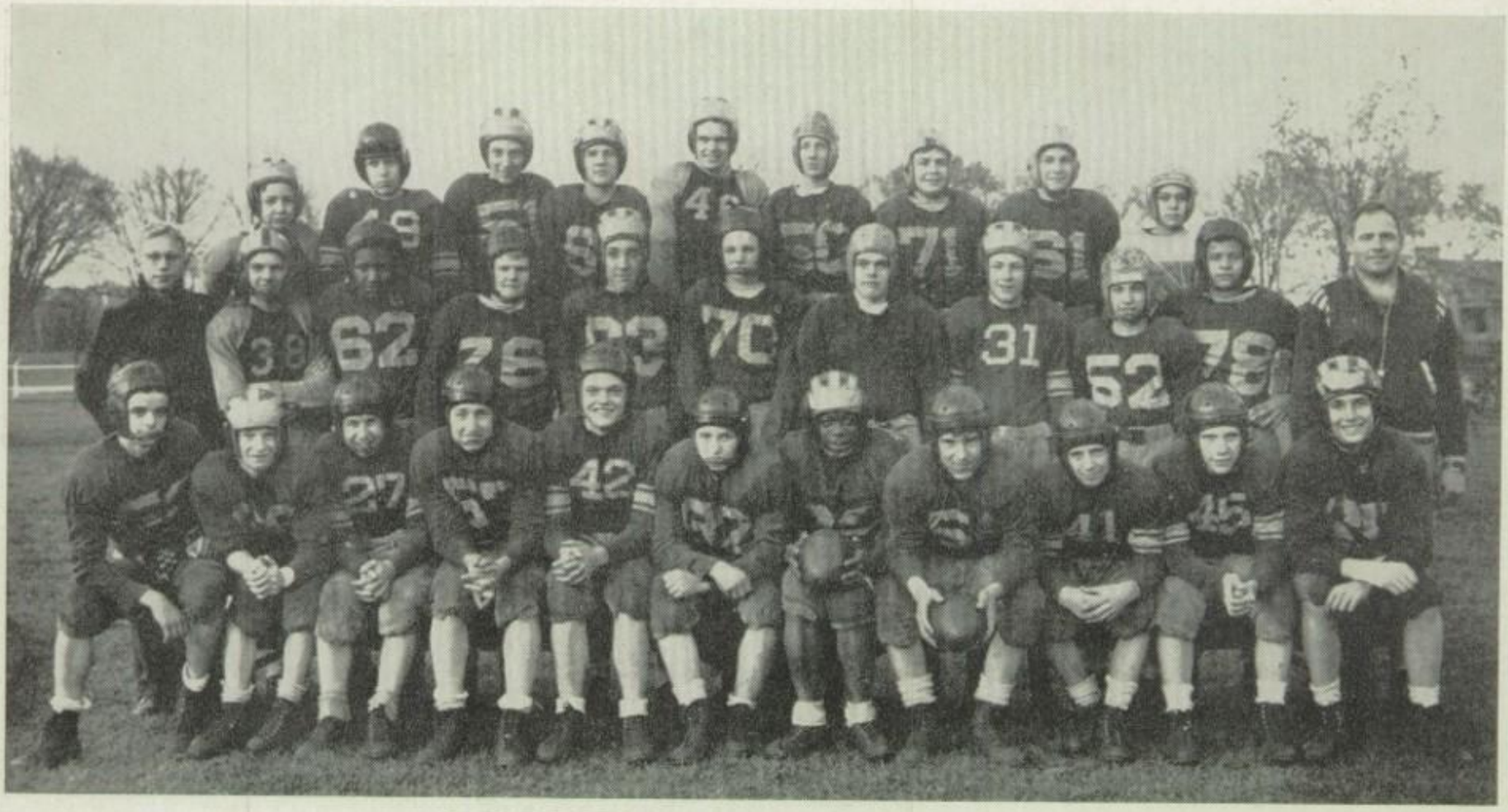
The Junior Band meets in the annex fifth hour. Anyone interested in playing in the Band tries out and the top players are selected for the various sections. Those who didn't make it in the fall have another chance to try out after they have practiced some more.

The Junior Band provides the valuable experience that is so necessary to have upon entering the Senior Band. A few have been admitted into the Senior Band without first playing in the Junior Band, but they had to work very hard to get in.

The Junior Band has been very active this year. It played for the concerts on December 9, and February 8. It played at the Instrumental League meeting January 16. Also it played for 2 Junior High Basketball games. The Junior Band also took part in the Instrumental Music Department demonstrations for Service Clubs on April 17, 18, and 19.



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Row 3: Bill Hoese, Ross Creviston, Richard Weber, Tom Johnson, Ray Vandenburg, Jim Stevens, Lawrence Tally, Douglas Wise, Vernon Harrell

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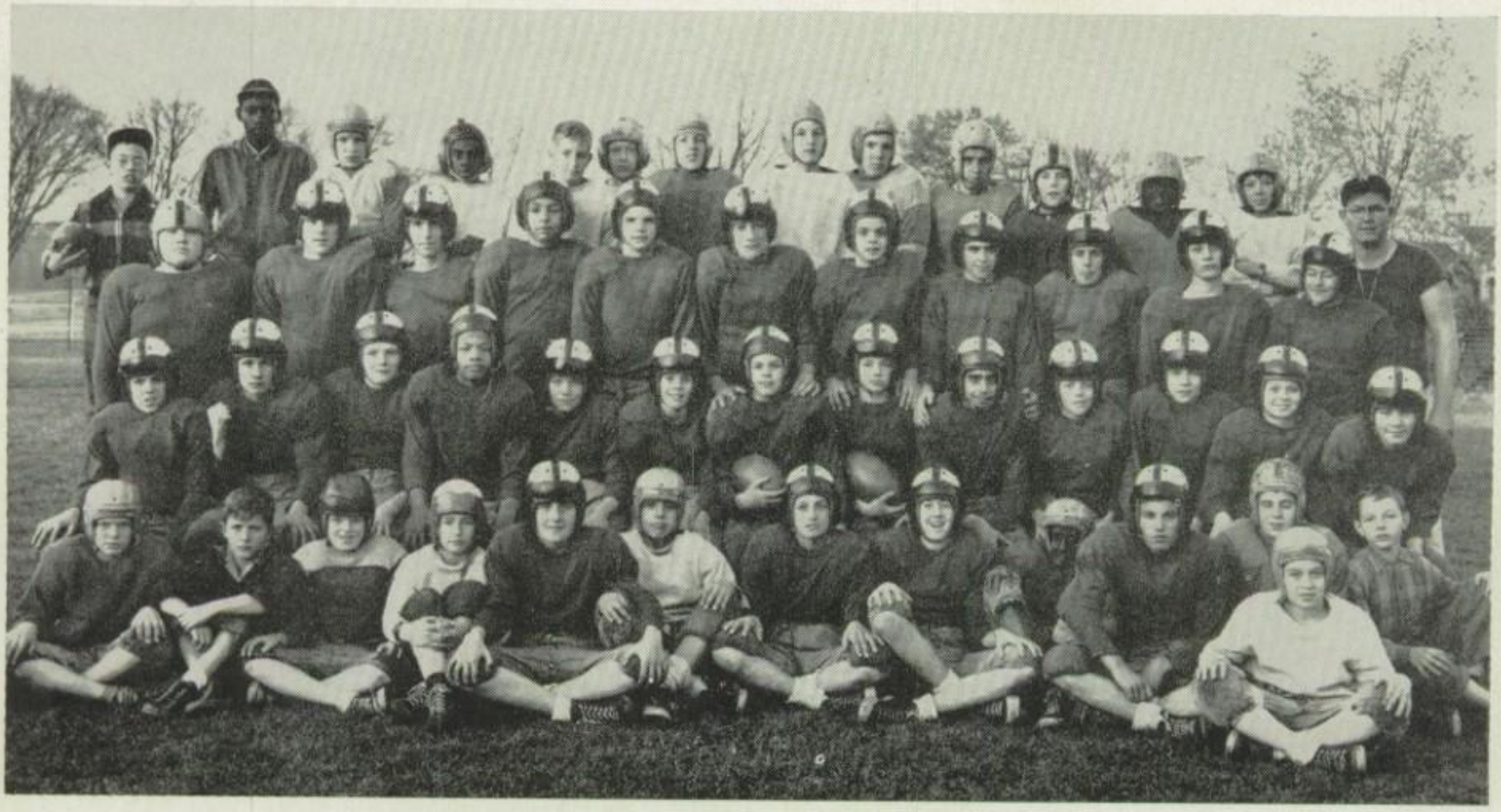

7TH AND 8TH FOOTBALL

Row 4: Dick Dickson, Theora Keeys, Jim Snuder, Garnet Keys, Glen Wilkins, John Wade, James Manning, W. L. Jones, Bob Hood, Kenneth Shepard, Bob McKinney, Charles Works, Jimmy Snyder, Coach Bender

Row 3: Al Simmons, Dick Richter, Gene Elliot, Tony Mason, Bob Nahan, Frank Mattiford, Bob Herman, Jim Young, Jim Anderson, Jerry Secor, Paul Kloko

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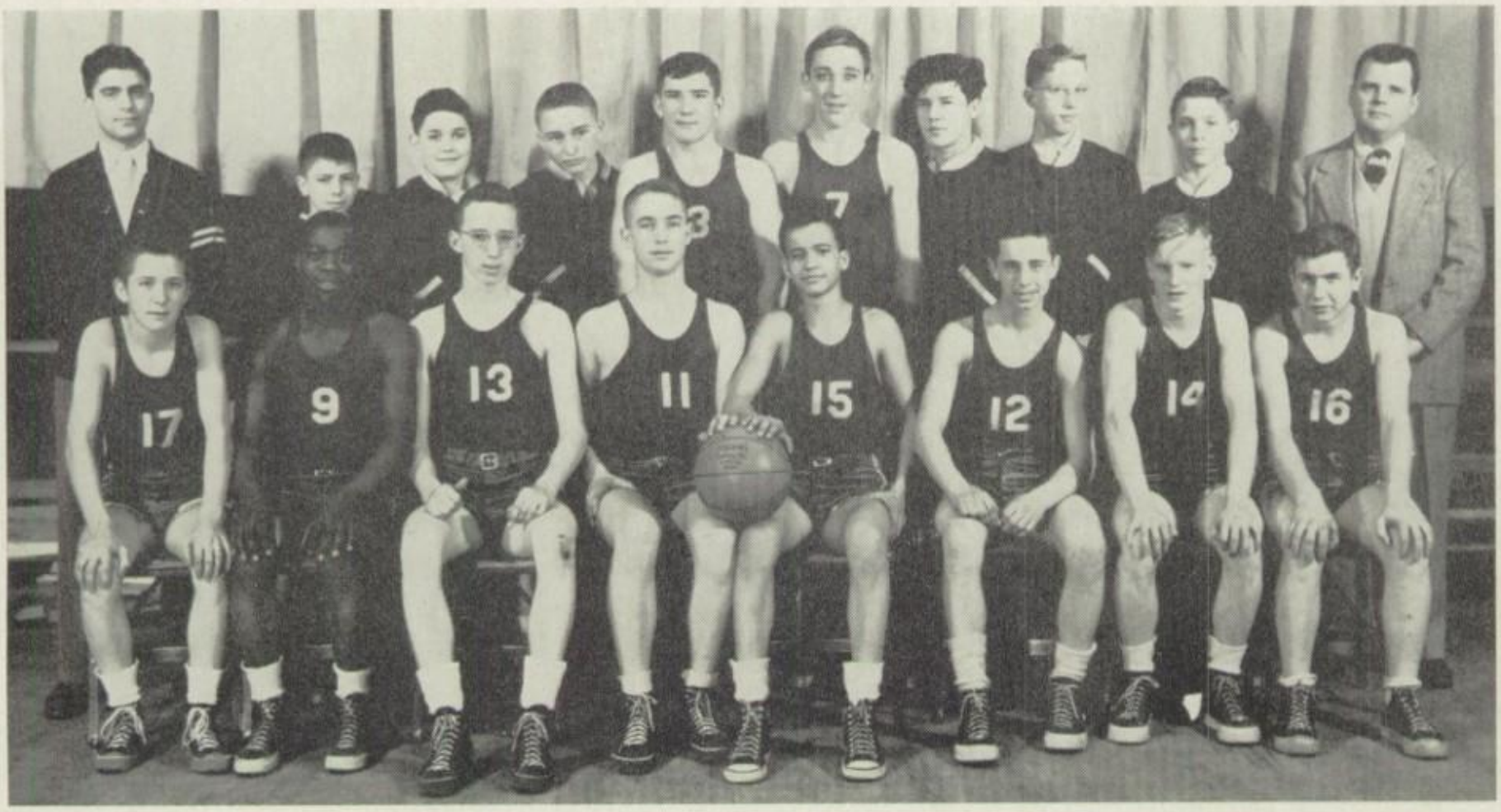


9TH GRADE BASKETBALL

Row 2: Phil Marazita, Dick Conrad, Ted Toback, Dick Dunham, Harry Foster, Ed Weaver, Bob Johnson, Allen Mantke, Mgr., John Hyink, Mgr., Coach Lewis

Row 1: Carl Murphy, Charles Allen, John Peturska, Skeet Williams, Duane Flint, Eddie Cottrell, Carl Corwin, Ray Sanford

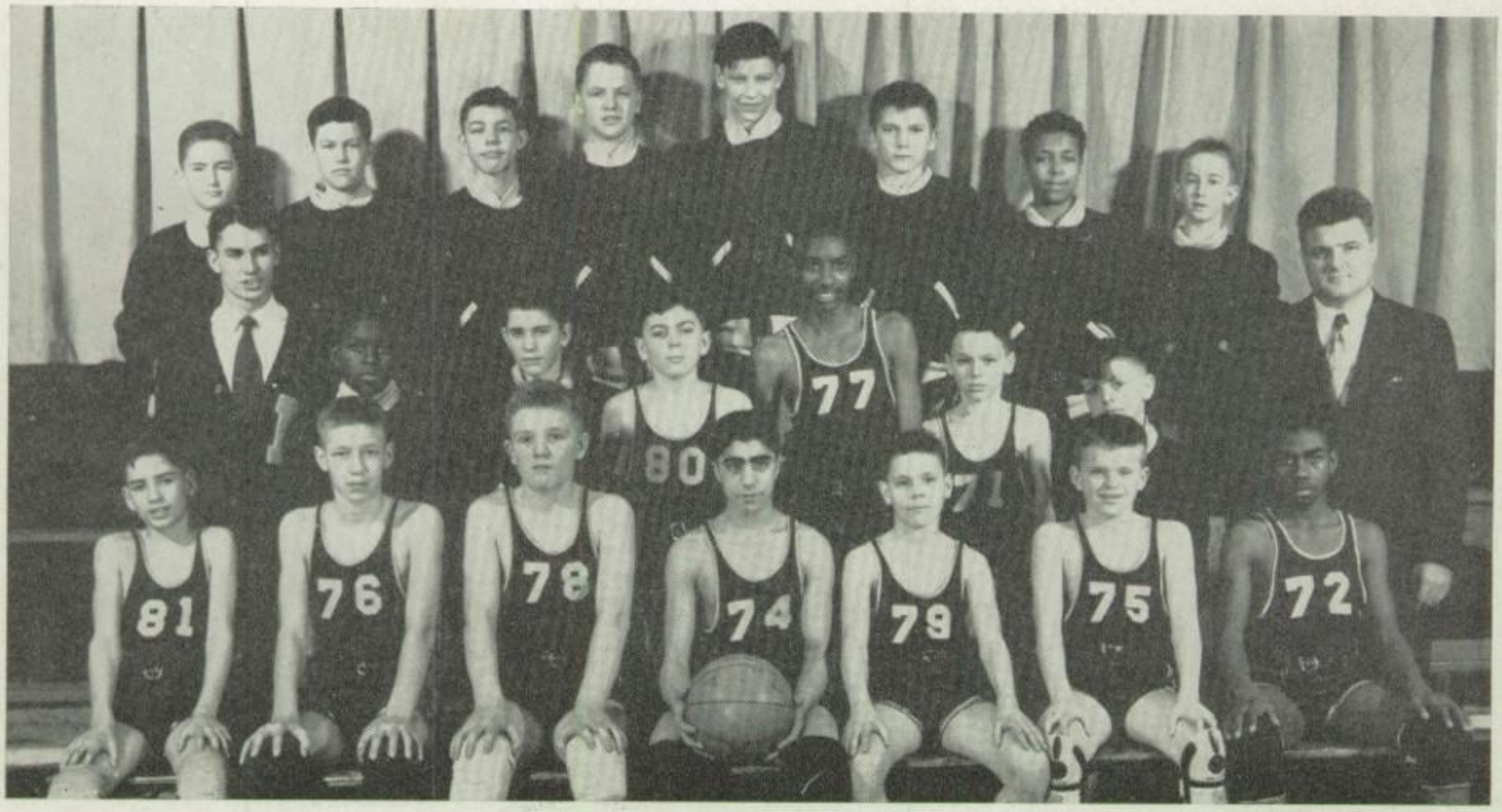
JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL

The seventh grade had an excellent season, winning all nine of its games by at least 10 points. The highlights of the season came when our boys swamped Dowagiac 52-2 and Buchanan 38-1.

The eighth grade also had a fully successful season by overrunning its four opponents twice apiece. The most exciting game of the season was that in which the Niles boys conquered Buchanan 28-27 in an overtime.

The ninth grade had a good season winning 6 games and losing 4. The defeats were suffered at the hands of St. Joe, Mishawaka, Benton Harbor, and Elkhart. The experience these boys have gained during their Junior High years will make them excellent material for future varsities.

A banquet in honor of the Junior High Basketball teams was held on March 27th in the high school cafeteria.



7TH GRADE BASKETBALL

Back Row: Art Baurenfeind, Bob Middleton, Charles Thomas, Chester Brock, Jim Snyder, Bruce Hart, Victor Crane, Donnie Pethick

Second Row: Tom Tyler, Charles Works, Robert Ramsy, Robert Shoemaker, Thoera Keeys, Bob Coates, Kenny Knauf, Coach Theus

First Row: Tim Tyler, John Wade, Francis Galiets, Warren Marazita, Larry Hall, David Shannon, Garnett Keeys

8TH GRADE BASKETBALL

Row 3: John Elder, Bill West, Pete Smith, Tony Mason, Dick Mantke, Paul Kloko, Wayne Hart, Ossie Ziegler

Row 2: John Hyink, Mgr., Allen Mankte, Phil Marazita, Frank Gentry, Rodger Bunker, Ronnie Johnson, Coach Lewis

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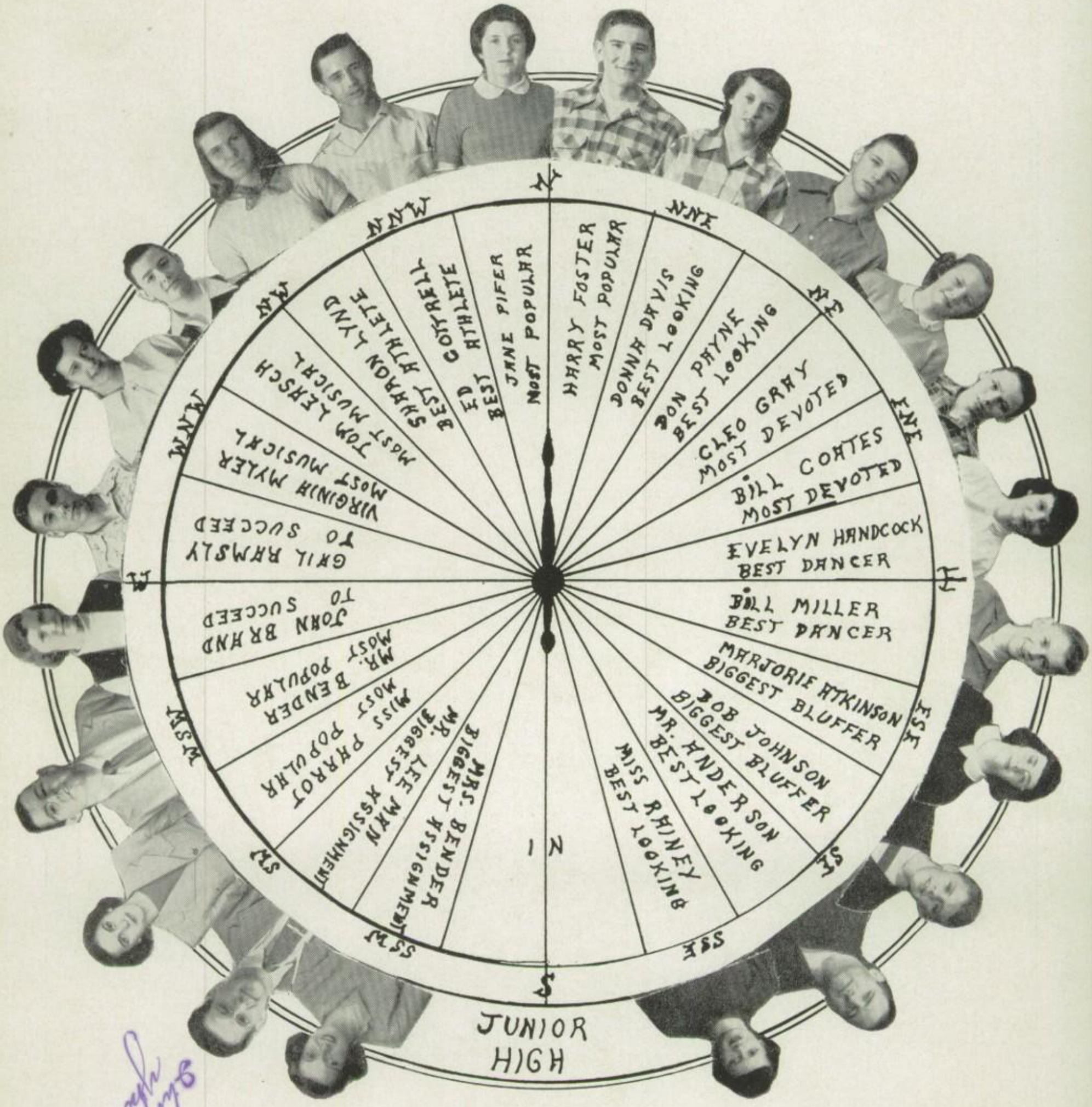

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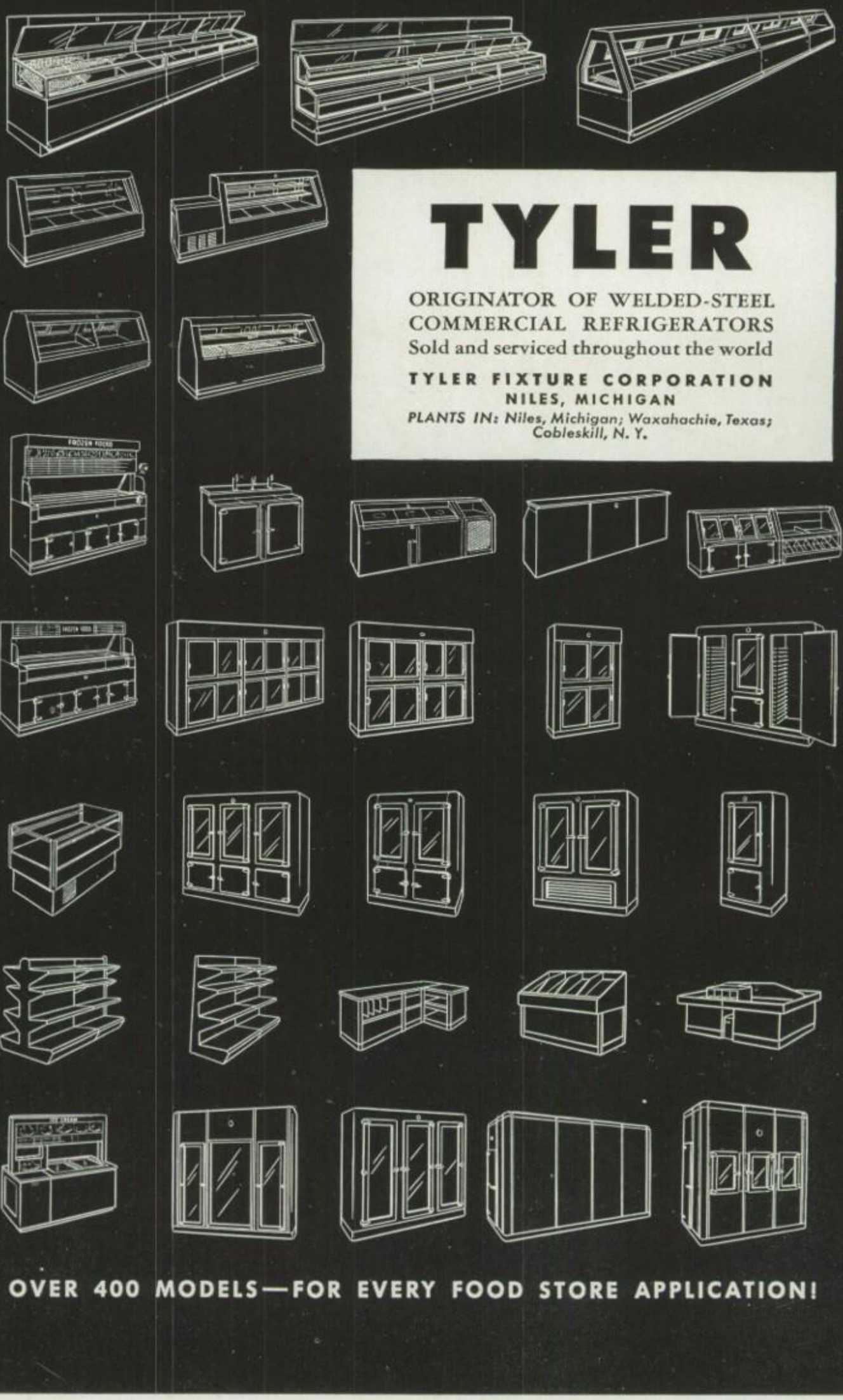

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